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NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

GERMAN BARK "HEINRICH."

CAPTAIN BANNAU, FROM HAMBURG.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

of their Goods from alongside.



PRICE \$23 PER MONTH

THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues reigns suprome, and LAUGHTER, LONG LOUD AND the 13th April, at 9 r.m., BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE FREDERICK STEWART, Hongkong, 27th March, 1887. when will be produced a comedicate by Acting Colonial Secretary. March 30, Fushun, Chinese steamer, 1,533, Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND MIRTH is the medicine of life and the Secret-WILLIAM BROUGH, ENTITLED Colonial Secretary's Office, 🔔 TRAVELLING FILTERS. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business Groad, Whampon 30th March, General .--SINGAPORE. of life is to be happy: come then and enjoy 2 "A COMICAL COUNTESS." Hongkong, 26th Mary generally on terms to be had on application. THE Steamship hours of unalloyed merriment with. C. M. S. N. Co. WEBB'S MARIONETTES, THIS (THURSDAY) EVENING, Interest allowed on Deposits:--Particulars of the letting by Public Auction H. J. Byron's Comedy in 3 Acre, entitled March 30, Charon Wattana, Siamose barque, Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the 5th day of "HESPERIA." Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. "OLD SOLDIERS." -656, G. F. Ulrich, Bangkok 20th February, TABLE FILTERS. April, 1887, at 4 am., by Order of His Excellency the OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT of ONE LOT Capt. Christianson, having arrived from the above the 31st March, 4887. Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-Tickets may be obtained from Messra-Lane, Rice and Wood.—CHINESE. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. SATURDAY GRAND GALA DAY. CRAWFORD & Co. on and after MONDAY, 4th March 30, VESPASIAN, British steamer, 791, J On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per For the little ones half price to all parts of signature by the Undersigned and to take im. April, at 9 A.M. Annum on the daily balance. of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for Stephens, Saigon 24th March, Rico. - ARNthe house. mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Dress Circle and Stalls 2.00 a term of 75 Years. HOLD, KARBERG & Co. Roservo-Seats at Kully & Walsh Ld., APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Back Seats Doors open at 8.30. Commence at 9 P.M. BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the March 30, CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British str., notice to the contrary be given before TO-H. M. THOMSETT. Matinee commence at 3 P.M. MORROW, at Noon. Hon. Secretary. BALANCES of such Claims purchased on 956, F. Webb, Penang 19th March, and Measuromenta. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. PHIL H KIRBY, Manager, Singapore 22nd March, General.—Bun Hin Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be advantageous terms. Locality. Hongkong, 30th March, 1887. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE | Sale. landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Pier CHAN. and Godown Co, and stored at Consignees' risk | TATANTED .- By a SINGLE GENTLEMAN, SOCIETY. DIOCESAN HOME AND ORPHANAGE. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887. E. W. RUTTER. feet feet feet. feet. 8. \$ March 30. PORT, Augusta, British steamer, BOARD and LODGING with a and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods | Private Family. Manager, Hongkong Branch. TZ ELLY & WALSH, LIMITED REQUIRED an ENGLISH SECOND MASTER for the above. 1,856, James Hogg, Saigon 26th March, Hongkong, 12th Murch, 1887. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining Plunkett's) Rice and Paddy.—SIEMSSEN & Co. undelivered after the 1st April, will be subject 180] 100 | 90| 170| 16,400| | 88| 50¢. Apply stating age and qualifications to REV. New Regulations for preventing Collisions at Care of Daily Press Office. March 39, Activ, Danish steamer, 355, Revs-1515 F. B. OST, Hon. Sec., West Point. TTONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING Hongkong, 10th March, 1887. beck, Haiphong 28th March, General.-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to Some of the Analects of Confucius, illustrated CORPORATION. · Hongkong, 31st March, 1987. WANTED—By a GERMAN with several years Hongkong experience, a be left in the Godowns, where they will be · Arnhold, Karberg & Co. by Mrs. Clement Allen! PUBLIC AUCTION examined on the 1st April. PUBLIC AUCTION. March 30, Agamemnon, British steamer, 1,522, Fielding's Tom Jones No Fire Insurance has been effected. Smollet's Humphrey Clinker SITUATION as CLERK, BOOKKEEPER, or Wilding, Shanghai 26th March, and Amoy ELEGANT ENGLISH MADE HOUSE T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by SIEMBSEN & Co., RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000. Smollet's Peregrine Pickle Cloth \$1 each MANAGER of any Mercantile Business. 29th; General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. HOLD FURNITURE, &c. Public Auction, Agents. or the 6 for Fielding's Amelia Hongkong, 25th March, 1887. March 30. Propontis. British steamer, 1,387. TO-MORROW. COURT OF DIRECTORS:-M: S., Smollet's Roderick Random T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been the 1st April, 1887, at Noon, in their Sale Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq. G. Heasley, Saigon 26th March, Rice and Fielding's Joseph Andrews Office of this Paper. instructed by W. S. ADAMS, Esq., M.D., OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Room, below Messra, ROSE & Co.'s STORE. Deputy Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMERY, Esq. Hongkong, 29th March, 1887. Leech's Pictures from Punch. Paddy.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. to Sell by Public Auction, at his residence, 15-Barrels-PRIME-MESS-PORK i E. H. M. Huntington, Esq. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "DIOMED," Bradshaw's A. B. C. Guide to the United Hon. J. Bell-Irving. 🗉 Forest Lodge, Caine Road, on March 30, Signat, German steamer, 385, T. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. W. H. F. Darby, Esq. Hon. A. P. McEwen. A. McIver, Esq. States, Canada, and Mexico. WEDNESDAY, Bruhn, Touren 24th March, and Holhow SUNDRY OTHER ARTICLES Maps of the Canadian Pacific Railway. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being disthe 6th April, 1887, at 2 o'clock P.M. Hon. F. D. Sassoon. 29th, General.—Stemssen & Co. H. Hoppius, Esq. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. Biographies of 100 Famous Americans. charged into Craft, and/or landed at the DRAPERS. HOSIERS. HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. CHIEF MANAGER. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Haydn's Dictionary of Dates. Scott's Shipping Telegraph Code. The Lady's World—New Fashion and Socie-Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases i HABERDASHERS. Comprising: Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq. CLEARANCES. Auctioneers. will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be MILLINERS, TAILORS AND ACTING CHIEF MANAGER. DRAWING ROOM:-EBONIZED DOUBLE Hongkong, 31st March, 1887 AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on DRESSMAKERS. Hongkong-John Walter, Esq. TAPESTRY-COVERED SUITE TAPty Monthly Magazine. and after the 29th inst. No. 3 LYNDHURST TERRACE. 30th $_{
m MARCH}$. MANAGER. <u>FOR SHANGHAI.</u> ${f ESTRY}$ CURTAINS.—BRUSSELS Black's Horse Racing in France Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Eso Goods undelivered after the 5th April CARPET, INLAID CHIFFONIER THE Steamship Glenorchy, British str., for Shanghai. Maclean's Diseases in Tropical Climates. London Bankers-London & County Bank. OVERMANTLES, GASALIER, EN-Polimurus, British str., for Shanghai. ADVERTISEMENTS. Jameson's Text Book of the Steam Engine. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. "PEKING." GRAVINGS. &c. Sir Francis Doyle's Reminiscences and Opinions Marcia, British str., for Nagasaki. Hongkong, 28th March, 1887. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. Captain G. Houermann, will be despatched for INING ROOM:--MAHOGANY MOROCCO HONGKONG MASONIC CHUB. Life of Frank Buckland. Tritos, German str., for Saigon. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of the above Port TO-DAY, the 31st instant. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS COVERED CHAIRS, CARVED OAK Lock's Tobacco—a Hand Book for Planters. per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Centaur, German bark, for Tientsin. SIDEBOARD, EXTENSION DINING **▼OTICE**—is—beroby—given—that—the-CL-UI Du Moncall's Electricity as a Motive Power. On Fixed Deposits:— For Freight or Passage, apply to FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND Danube, British str., for Haiphong. TABLE, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, PREMISES will be open to MEMBERS from "Sprague's Electricity, its theory, Sources and For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. SIEMSSEN & Co. SINGAPORE. CROCKERY and GLASS WARE, &c., Noon, on SATURDAY, April 2nd. Chelmsford, British bark, for Hoilo. For, 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. Hongkong, 30th March, 4887. I HE Steamship By Order, Lockwood's Hand Book of Electric Tele-For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. GEO. H. SWALES, "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. BEDROOMS.—ASH BEDROOM SUITES. DEPARTURES. graphy. LOCAL BILLS-DISCOUNTED. $ext{``GLENORCHY.''}$ Secretary. BRASS BEDSTEADS with Spring and CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG March 30, CHING TU, British steamer, for Port having arrived from the above Ports. Consignous FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. Hongkong, 31st March, 1887. Horsehair Mattresses, MAHOGANY every description of Banking and Exchange Darwin, &c. of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their WHE Steamship WARDROBE with Mirkor Front, &c. usiness transacted. March 30. Diomeo, British str., for Amoy. Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT IMPORTANT NOTICE. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief landed at their risk into the Godowns of the SEVEN PER CENT. SILVER "GLENLYON" March 30. OSCAR MOOYER, German bark, for NURSERY:-IRON BEDSTEADS, WARD ommercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or JAPAN! JAPAN!! LOAN OF 1886. JAPAN!!! Captain Sommer, will be despatched as above Whampon. ROBES. DRESSING TABLES America. China and Japan. boats delivery may be obtained. on MONDAY, the 4th April, at THREE P.M. March 30, PALAMED, British str., for Whampos. JOHN WALTER, CHAIR, &c., &c. LOAN E. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless For Freight or Passage, apply to Acting Chief Manager. STUDY:—OAK WRITING TABLE, ESCRI March 30, MARCIA, British str., for Nagasaki. notice to the contrary be given before 2 P.M., JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. FIRST HALF YEARLY DRAWING. JAPANESE FINE ART GALLERY. Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. TOIR, CHAIRS, BOOKCASES, &c. TO-DAY, the 28th instant. March 30, GLENORCHY, British steamer, for Hongkong, 30th March, 1887 OPPOSITE THE HONGKONG HOTEL. A GRAND PIANO, IRON FRAME, by Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th Shanghai. TOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN, that in confor-NOTICE. Rosenhbanz. April, will be subject to rent: ASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMmity with the stipulation contained in E Beg respectfully to announce that they will March 30, DIAMANTE, British str., for Manila. A GRAND PIANO, IRON FRAME, by Con-No Fire Insurance has been effected. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. CLOSE their Hongkong Establishment, and to the Bonds of this Loan, the following Numbers TOULES OF THE HONGKONG LARD & COLLARD. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by avoid reshipment, and expenses they will offer of Bonds to be paid off at Par at the Shanghai! SAVINGS BANK. A LARGE ASTRONOMICAL TELES. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, AND JARĎINE, MATHESŎN & Co., PASSENGERS. FOR 10 DAYS ONLY. Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-COPE, by DOLLAND, London. ADELAIDE. INC CORPORATION, and at other Office of the 1.—The business of the above Bank will be ARRIVED. their entire Stock for cost in Japan. Calling at PORT DARWIN and taking through AMERICAN COOKING RANGES. -Hongkong, -28th -March, -1887. Wholesale Buyers, Shippers, and Captains will ank at the current rates of Exchange for conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Per Port Augusta, str., from Saigon.—6 Chi-SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS. Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) do well to make use of this favourable oppordemand Bills on Shanghai on the 31st day of Banking Corporation, on their premises in TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO TINHE Steamship SUNDRY STORES and WINES. A --March, 1887, when the interest thereon will Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "PALINURUS," &c., &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery. Per Proportis, str., from Saigon.—24 Chinese. PARTICULAR ATTENTION!!-cease to be payable, were this day Drawn at the "CATTERTHUN." to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. FROM LONDON: Per Activ, str., from Haiphong.- 4 French-Office of the said Corporation in Hongkong in Captain Darke, will be despatched for the 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at They also beg to call particular attention LANE CEL WFORD & Co. men and 76 Chinese. to their GRAND ASSORTMENT of the cele-HIPPING Orders must be obtained from the the presence of HERBERT MAURICE BEVIS, one time will not be received. No depositor Per Signal, str., from Touron, &c.-Mr. Auctioneers. brated JAPANESE LEATHER paper may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. Esquire, Chief Accountant of the said Corpora-Undersigned not later than the 4th Prox. Hongkong, 28th March, 1887. Stomburg, and 67 Chinese. for wall or other Decorations. The paper 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having DAYLIGHT. for shipment per steamer "AJAX." tion, and of the undersigned Notary. Per Agamemnon, str., from Shanghai, &c.— For Freight or Passage, apply to is highly embossed in almost all colours of ele- \$100 or more at their credit may at their option BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. PUBLIC AUCTION. NUMBERS OF BONDS DRAWN. Mr. Morrison and family, Messrs. Pope. Murray, RUSSELL & Co., gant antique designs; it has the advantage over transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-Hongkong, 29th March, 1887. 15 Bonds, Nos.: hinder, and Burns, and 840 Chinese MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the Owners to Sell by all other Wall Decorations previously introduced; hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for Hongkong, 30th March, 1887. its lasting durability; it is non-arsenical. Damp 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. 1616Per Thales, str., for Amoy.—Dr. and Mrs. and Water-proof and Washable, 500 different Public Auction, on 1221 1781 -2354 = -2939 =4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per STEAM TO NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND Fahmy, and Lieut. Col. Anderson. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer Patterns in 100 different colours to select from. THURSDAY, For 250 Shanghai Taels each=3,750 Shanghai annum will be allowed to Depositors on their **ҮОКОНА-МА**. Per Hailoung, str., for Tamsui.-Mr. John "PALINURUS." Orders for the above received and Patterns daily balances. the Twenty-first day of April, 1887, at Tacls. (Passing through the INLAND SEA). Newbury. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being disshown to the 25th Ap il only. 3 O'CLOCK P.M., at the Premises. Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis For the Hondrong and Shanghai Banking charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go-Per Danube, str., for Haiphong. - Rev. Ro-Hongkong, 30th March, 1887 VALUABLE LEASEHOLD 649 with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with CORPORATION. Whadevostock and Chemuleo. berts, and 47 Chinese. downs of the Undersigned; in both cases it will each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must · PROPERTY. H. M. BEVIS, PHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE Per Glenorchy, str., for Shanghai - Revs. C. Situate at Victoria in the Colony of Hougkong not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Chief Accountant, Jaroud, B. Jaroud, B. Goulavier, and M. Jaraze, COMPANY, LIMITED. for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after and being the Tenements Nos. 5, 7, 9, 1 Countersigned, Books, but should send them to be written up " THIBET," Messrs. O. Weber, E. Potter, Leonard Midwood. 13, 15, 17, and 19, Queen's Street, and being Portions of all—those Pieces or at least twice a year, about the beginning of A. B. JOHNSON. CENTRAL EXCHANGE 4, CLUB CHAMBERS. will leave for the above places at DAYLIGHT, on and L. Lambe. Goods undelivered after the 5th Prox., will Notary Public. January and beginning of July. FRIDAY, 8th April. Parcels of GROUND registered in the be subject to Rent. The above Company's EXCHANGE is NOW 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Hongkong. E. L. WOODIN. REPORTS. OPEN for Telephonic Communication.

Rate of Subscription is \$80 per Annum, payable quarterly in advance. Electrical material BUPPERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Land Office as Section D of Marine Lot Hongkong, 12th January, 1887. Acting Superintendent. -Hongkong, 29th March, 1887. Business is forwarded free by the various No. 37, and The Remaining Portion of The German steamer Port Augusta from Sai-Hongkong, 30th March, 1887. CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT SUB-SECTION F OF SECTION BOF MARINI gon 26th March, reports had strong head wind British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. SEVEN PER CENT. SILVER d VUTLER, PALMER & STEAM TO SHANGHAL 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or Lor No 37, as the same Premises are held of all descriptions kept in stock for sale. LOAN OF 1886. ELECTRIC BELLS a speciality. for the term of 979 years. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stemmship ESTABLISHED IN 1815. The German steamer Tetartos, from Nagasaki The Property will be sold in Eight Lots sub- OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY Houses fitted up and kept in order at most his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. 24th March, reports fine weather and smooth Moderate Prices. ject to the existing Lettings and Tenancies " DOK HARA!" MADRAS, LAHORE, KURRACHEE, &c. thereof, and to the Annual Payment of the due will leave for the above place about 36 hours Are represented in China by TELEPHONE material supplied on sale or For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-WITHE INTEREST due 31st March instant proportions of Crown Reat payable in respect Mesars. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. after her arrival with the next outward English ING CORPORATION, A of the above LOAN, together with the The Danish steamer Activ, from Haiphong AGENTS for ELECTRIC LIGHTING. of the said Premises: JOHN WALTER, BONDS DRAWN for Redemption will be 28th March, reports had light easterly winds E. L. WOODIN both ARC and INCANDESCENT. For the Plan and further Particulars of the Acting Chief Manager. with foggy weather. [9] Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to 1 Estimates furnished free, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. Subjoined are some of the items consigned by

For the Honokong and Shanghai Banking WOTTON & DEACON. A. J. THOMPSON, Hongkong, 31st March, 1887. The British steamer Cheang Hock Kian, from Solicitors for the Vendors. these well-known Shippers... Penanc-19th-March, and Singapore-22nd, re-Hongkong. | 631 CORFORATION. ZETLAND 35, Queen's Read, STEAM FOR ports had moderate N.E. winds and fine weather (Agents issuing the Loan), Hongkong, 28th March, 1887. COGNAC-The popular "4 Star" quality and Hongkong, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, throughout. JOHN WALTER, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA. Acting Chief Managor TIMBER. The British steamer Agamemnon, from Shang-J. M. ARMSTRONG. GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI. ANCONA COGNAC-The well-known "2 Star" quality. Hongkong, 31st March, 1887. REGULAR MEETING of the above hai 26th March, and Amoy 29th, reports had WHISKY SCOTCH, in Heart Shaped bottles. VENICE PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON: Auctioneer. THE Undersigned, Agents for Messrs. A LODGE will be held in Freemasons southerly winds and misty, foggy weather to Hongkong, 30th March, 1887, NOTICE. - a spaciality. E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan, HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND Turnabout: thence to port light variable winds WHISKY SCOTCH, in Ordinary bottles. British North Borneo, are now prepared to the 1st April, at 8.30 for 9 P.M., precisely NTOTICE is hereby given that the Cowith much fog and mist. .The "Gienlivet" Whisky in round bottles. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft VISITING BRETHREN are cordially INVITED. PARTNERSHIP hitherto carried on at The "Square bottle" Whisky of Napier John-N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH LIMITED. TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and Hongkong, 29th March, 1887.

AUCTIONS.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MARCH 31st, 1887.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

PAID UP£ 500,000. THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET. Land by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, on TUESDAY,

the 5th day of April, 1887, at 4 -P.M., are published for general information. By Command.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF YEARLY

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will HONGKONG: AMATEUR be held at the Company's Hotel, on MONDAY, ATHLETIC SPORTS, the 4th April, 1887, at HALF PAST THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, for the purpose of receiving the Accounts and Report of the Directors and declaring a Dividend. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st March to 4th |

| April, 1887. LOUIS HAUSCHILD. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887.

CIRCULAR Trictoria boarding and day SCHOOL.

HOLLYWOOD ROAD. 19th March, 1887. This School is now offering increased facilities Business contributed during the Half-year for the acquirement of a First Class English | ended 31st December, 1886, on or before the 31st | Ta/T U N C H E N E R

Education ... For the Boys' Department Mrs. Hanlon Closed. has pleasure in announcing that she has secured by Order of the Board of Directors, the services of Mr. W. D. BRAIDWOOD, C.M.M.A. (Phil.) of Edinburgh Training College and Glasgow University; a gentleman who has taught for over twelve years in Scotland with great ability and success. The course of study for both Departments A. Has just added to his COLLECTION includes,—Reading, Writing, Arithmetic. English Grammar, Composition and Literature. British History, Geography, Mapping, Drawing in his Studio or at Messrs, Kelly & Walsh's. and Singing. Latin, Greek, and French are taught as extra subjects.

Mr. Braidwood is prepared to give Private treproductions of the same on Paper, Canvas, or Lessons in English, Latin, Greek, Mathematics | Opal. and Drawing. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE . YEAR 1886.

CRIFFITH'S requested to Furnish the undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1884, in order that [588] the DISTRIBUTION OF BONUS may be Are the Newest and Best published, have the arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the greatest degree of permanency and are moderate THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole | 31st day of March instant, will be adjusted by in price.

> General Managers. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED, Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887.

INTIMATIONS: THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL. their Bills of Luding to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery THE THIRD PERFORMANCE OF THE

SEASON.

號一十三月三英港香

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB, will take place WEDNESDAY.

Nos. 37 and 39, Quean's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, by JOSEPH CIAN HARMON.

and THOMAS HENRY SAYLE under the WHISKY IRISH, the best selected, very fine.

N.B.—All the above Spirits are of excellent style of "ROSE AND COMPANY" was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. JOSEPH CIAN HARMON is empowered to discharge all debts due to and by the said Copartnership For Invalids use, PORT & SHERRY—Very Superior and reliable. AMOROSO, MANZA-Dated the 31st March, 1887. NILIA. & PALE DEY SHEERY, distinguished by Blue. Black, and White Seals,

JOSEPH CIAN HARMON, THOMAS HENRY SAYLE. Hongkong, 31st March, 1887.

EFERRING to the above Mr. JOSEPH LD CIAN HARMON begs to give Notice that he will as from the date hereof carry on the Business of "ROSE AND COMPANY" under that name at Nos/37-and 39, Queen's Road Central Victoria, Hongkong, en his own occount. Dated the 31st March, 1887.

JOSEPH CIAN HARMON. Hongkong, 31st March, 1887. FOR SALE.

FURSTENBRAU BUPERIOR LAGER DEER. Apply to

RADECKER & Co., Sole Agents. [654] Hongkong, 31st March, 1887. FOR SALE.

STIRLING BONDING COMPANY'S CELEBRATED. "GAELIC WHISKY."

REPORT ON A SHIPMENT OF THE STIRLING. BONDING COMPANY'S "GAELIC WHISKY." CITY ANALYSIS' LABORATORY,

136. BATH STREET, GLASCOW, 28th January, 1887. I Have made a caroful analysis of a fair sample 👢 of a lot of about 5,000 cases of the "STIR LING BONDING COMPANY'S GAELIC Frames.

WHISKY," ready for shipment to Hougkong. The sample was taken by myself on the 25th trie Dynamo. inst from Bonded Store, where the cases were lying, and, from the results of my analysis, I am of opinion that it is a pure Whisky, of superior quality, which has been matured in Sherry Casks. The strength is about eleven degrees under Abney, R.L. JOHN CLARK, PH. D., F.C.S. F.I.C. City Analyst, &c.,

Apply to RADECKER & Co., Sole Agents.

ADVER CISEMENTS

THEATRE $\mathbf{R} \mathbf{O} \mathbf{Y} \mathbf{A}^{\mathsf{L}} \mathbf{L}_{\mathsf{I}}$ CITY HALL

ROWDED by a delighted and enthusiastic

MARIONETTES. Nothing ever seen like them in Hongkong; an entertainment that pleases everybody; old, young, rich, and poor, all are delighted, astonishment

above Ports on FRIDAY, the 8th April, at

BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG. NEW YORK, AND BOSTON.

NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "PESHAWUR," Captain Moule, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL on TUESDAY, the 12th April, at Cargo will be received on board until-

For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S - B E E D Office, Hongkong.

> quired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. E. L. WOODIN.

Acting Superintendent.

Douglas's Chiaa. "Skat" the German game at Cards. _ Budget of Anecdotes, Seton.

Cruise of the "Marchesa" by Guillemard Faber's new Vulcanite Pen, 75 cents. The "Swife" Reservoir Pen. Mathematical Instruments. Photo Frames in new designs. Albums, Illuminated. Beautiful large Photos of Mrs. Langtry, and

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TELEPHONE No. 12.

Hongkone, March 31st, 1887.

When the Chinese residents, at their meet ting held in the Tung Wah Hospital on the from Tientsin in tow of the Wuchang. 27th March, decided to have their own memorial of the Queen's Jubilee they really put an extinguisheron the projected Victoria Park, average speed of 102 knots. She docked soon Excellency the Acting Governor gave the propellers. coup do grace to the scheme. A meeting of the Committee has been called for the 5th there was a considerable attendance of Chinese Moore April, at which we presume they will tender their resignation or decide to summon an- Ewens, appeared for the Chinese dealers, and Mr. Douglas other public meeting of the British and for Brereton, instructed by Messrs. Wotton and Giles eign community to consider what other form the permanent memorial of Her Majesty's Francis's speech occupied more thanks hour, and Jubilee should take. The gentlemen who Mr. Brersten's was also long. The Colonial Corp. Brown, R.A., b Scanlan 3 o Matthews, b Drew ... pared the resolutions proposed at the public and Mr. Mackiwon himself-seemed somewhat | Corp. Doglas, M.S. is Graham ... meeting of the 2nd March, seem to us to have entirely failed in one important part of the duty they undertook—namely, to ascertain the views of the Chinese on the he caused the death of men who were attacking L.C. Hatchby, 58th, run out 8 b Graham..... subject. It was most desirable that the Chinese co-operation should have been secured, both in order that unanimity men outside his house in the streets. To this Lo stantial sum might be secured for a perman- in the death of a corporal at the Pai-kwo Shu Scanlan ent memorial that should be worthy of the riot, effected his escape. His son Shih Hwei Drew Colony and that would do honour to the was arrested and executed instead of the real illustrious Sovereign whose long and glo- by favours to betray his father's hiding place, Drew rious reign it was to commemorate. Hafortunately, through the failure of the The popular opinion seems to be that the father Committee to secure the approval of the should now meet with a lighter punishment. of unanimity of action has been lost, from a Netherlands-Indian paper:—On the Deli The Chinese did not want the Park, and they do want a Chamber of Commerce man competition by Holt's and the North Geror Institute of their own, and they propose man Lloyd's steamers. Formerly, a Dutch comto do honour to Her Majesty in the same pany, that passing by the name of "Nederland," did run steamers in Deli waters and, at one time, way as the British residents proposed to do did secure extensive business relations in Penang. it—to secure something they desire and Its vessels carried thousands of bales of tobacco affix the Queen's name to it. No one has a its greed to gain more. The freight rates were gislative Council. right to quarrel with their decision, which raised till they reached 125 guilders por last, in from their point of view is a very sensible addition to exerbitant charges. The consequence and reasonable one. They will, however, Holt's line through the energy of the latter's their pockets to carry out their proposition, in Deli, and laid on coasting craft of their own. and they cannot of course be expected to The "Nederland company did not show fight at contribute to the British-memorial, however all. It threw up the sponge without further much the next decision of the British re- borne tobacco trade aroused competition in the sidents might leap with their wishes.

to the proposed Jubilee Institute in England. The first scheme, we think, is more competitors is directly traceable to lack of energy likely to meet with acceptance, as being one that will provide a local memorial of the Jubilee and that will at the same time be a personal compliment to Her Majesty. As has been pointed out by some of our correspondents, there is not a statue or even a - bust of the Queen in this city named after her, and the only portrait is one in Government House, which is a miserable daub and is of course seldom seen. It would not do, of course, to erect a statue unless sufficient funds were subscribed to purchase a good one, and, bearing in mind that this is an Oriental Colony, it should represent Her Majesty in regal robes. If possible, too, the statue should be under a handsome canony. and in short be of such a character as to impress the Oriental mind with a sense of the dignity and grandour of the Queen-Empress. A great deal will, however, depend upon the amount subscribed, and perhaps it would be as well-if this could be arranged-to render the form the memorial should take subject to the amount contributed. These are mere of the Colony will no doubt again bring foris decided upon, we trust will this time ' -heartily together to the end that the occasion may be fittingly commemorated in this small

but important dependency of the Crown.

The Hu pac says that a popular rising has taken place at Wu-chau on the Canton River. We hear that His Honour the Chief Justice and Lady Phillippo will leave here for home on Tuesday next, the 5th April, by the O. and O. steamer Oceanic.

We hear that the Hon. F. Stowart has accepted the offer of the appointment as Colonial Scoretary. This news will afford very general satisfaction in the colony.

The Agent informs us that the P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 5th instant, has arrived at

The Siamese barque Charon Wattana, which arrived here yesterday from Bangkok, reports having spoken the barque Clare Babuyan off Saigen, od a voyage from Baugkek to this port. We are informed by the Agent that Messageries Maritimes steamer Yangtse, with who presides at the piano-who sing, dance, and the next outward French mail was to leave Saigon for this port at 4 p.m. yesterday, the 30th

Mr. William M'Gregor Smith, of Hongkong, has, we observe from the Scotch papers, purchased from the trustees of the late Mr. William Mosely Bate the estate of Broadchapel, situated in the vicinity of Lochmaben, for £11.000.

It will be seen from the advertisement in another column that the interest due this day on the well staged, and well acted while some very Chinese Imperial Government seven per cent. silver lean (E) of 1886, together with the bonds drawn for redemption will be paid at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank from and after this date:

The Daily News says that the flags of the steamer Ningpo and of the C. M. S. N. 22 their London agent.

We omitted the other day to acknowledge re- evening. The next performance will take pl ceipt of the China Review No. 4 of Vol. XV. this evening. It is a very good number, the contents being varied and interesting. The "Notes on Chinese Materia Medica" have already been very fully commented on by a contributor. Some of the ordered for a fixed period will be continued until papers are of a lighter character than usual, and Officers v. Non-Commissioned Officers he Notes and Queries are numerous and in-

> We read in l'Indo-Chineis that a fire broke out on board the German steamer Clara while former.
>
> lying at anchor at Tam-toi. It appeared that the cook, wishing to get a fresh supply of kerosine, proceeded to the place where it was stored with a lighted cigarette. In the confusion the sailors overturned the vessel which contained the oil and this caught fire. The ship's nmps were at once worked and all danger soon | Col. Ryan, R.A., b Giles disappeared. Nobody was hurt through the

The China Navigation Co.'s steamer Chung-Daily News says:—She had one blade of one : propeller left, and this was kept going on the J. Little, 6-th, not out yovage down, which was done at the excellent In his reply to the communication of the Joint after arrival at Shanghai, and it was expected Secretaries of the Jubilee Committee, His 25th March after being fitted with her old

> At the Legislative Council meeting vesterday i and of representatives of the opium importing | West ongs. Mr. Francis, Q.C., instructed by Mr. Descon, represented the opium merchants. The McQnick 20 meeting lasted two hours and a half. Mr. Treasurer's reference to the Hon. A. P. Mac- Tor. McQuirk, R.A., c. Matthers; Ewen as the apostle of delay caused a smile. Pre. W-r aron, 8th, b Grahum., 15 st. Lloyd, b three

> The Szechuen correspondent of the Shen-pao Pte. Spinks, 5-th b Graham. gives some interesting particulars regarding the Ptc. West, 5-th, c Year, b Drew. . . Bramwell, b Graha his house with intent to rob. The presiding judge, whilst accepting this defence, asked him why he carried his revenge so far as to slaughter could give no reply, and was therefore convicted. A man named Shih Ta-vang who was concerned Graham.

criminal. Meanwhile another son was induced Graham...... and the father arrived at the capital on the even- Pedlar ing of the day on which his son was executed

The Straits Times translates the following coast, Dutch steam navigation enterprise is nowhere, from inability to face British and Gorwas that it was soon driven out of the field by

end from the North German Lloyd, which was If another public meeting be called we powerfully backed up by three Dutch tobacco companies operating in Deli. They found Holt's hope the rather numerous dissentients from monopoly burdensome, and struck a bargain the decision arrived at by the first meeting, with his German rival, at rates 30 guilders per will not fail to attend. There will on this last less than what Holt demanded at the outset, and has charged since. At that time, had any occasion be no excuse of want of time for con- Dutch steam navigation line declared itself ready sideration, or want of notice. The matter to convey tobacco, and fitted up their vessels for the purpose, the tobacco companies which now has been well ventilated, and, as it turns out, avail themselves of the German line, would have not without purpose. No doubt several exerted themselves to back Dutch efforts in the schemes will be mooted, of which the most same direction. The Netherlands lines, however, justead of taking advantage of this golden opimportant are those for a statue of the portunity, struck up an agreement with Mr. Queen, a school for girls, or a contribution Holt, to bar the latter from competing with them in Java. Their failure to wrest a portion of the Deli tobacco shipment profits from foreign

ado." Holt's ensuing monopoly of the steamer

and want of enterprising spirit.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 28th March.

Boletim $-\mathbf{E}_D$: D: P.

- CHINA AND PORTUGAL. A convention has been signed between China and Portugal ceding Macao to Portugal-We have already published the text of the convention, or rather protocol, from the Mucao

The Indo-Chinois of the 26th March publishes the following telegrams, but without any Eu-

ropean date:--FRENCH NAVAL APPOINTMENT.

Contro Admiral Olry is appointed Commander in-Chief of the Naval division in the Levant. THE RAILWAY PROJECTS IN TONQUIN.

The French Minister for Foreign Affairs has nominated a Commission to consider the projects for the establishment of a railway in Tonquin.

The French papers are amusing themselves doubtless to the edification of their readers, with auggestions, but they may possibly assist the bogus anecdotes of Dr. von Bulow's proceedings residents in coming to a conclusion. The in Vienna. I do not believe these stories, and the second reading of the Ordinance for the shall not reproduce them, as in all my excellent better regulation of the trade in opium. Certain advocates of that much needed institution a friend's little escapades there is invariably a mo- merchants and others who believe their rights good educational establishment for the girls dicum of gennine wit or humour. One story, are prejudiced by this Bill desire to be heard by however, I have heard, and it has. I believe, not! vet found its way into print. Somebody had them. I therefore suggest that Mr. Francis, ward their proposal, and some other plans been directing an orchestra, and, being finically Q.C., be now called upon to state his case for the may be laid before the meeting. Whatever inclined, had brought down a packet of seventy petitioners. load pencils, in order, as he said, that the band His Excellency—Unless any hon, member in Raw Opium subject to conditions hereinafter set farm. That might be so, if the only reasons impose so great restrictions for so small a cause. assenting to the establishment of these secure unanimity, so that all may work wishes. Dr. von Bülow next appeared at the The Acting Attorney General to the Chinese had the ly opened the package, and, without saying a His Excellency—We will be very glad to given on the condition, that the proposals thoughsuffering to some extent, was not suffering to some extent, was not suffering the remainder of the 52,000 chests, because the liked with it. That is the commencement of conductor's desk, also with a parcel. He grave- Counsel should be heard now on the petitions. word, handed round—seventy pieces of india- hear you, Mr. Francis.

WEBB'S MARIONETTES AT THE CITY HALL.

On Tuesday evening, in the Theatre Royal City Hall, Webb's Royal Marionettes made their first appearance, when they were favoured with a capital house. The performance was of a highly amusing and entertaining character throughout. Apart from the comic side of the entertainment, which affords a pleasant treat for children especially, as a triumph of mechanical skill it is well worth a visit by those of older growth. So natural and graceful are the movements of the performers, that at times it requires a strong effort of will to convince the beholder minstrel troupe is a good example of this. The troupe consists of four gentlemen and a ladyjoke after the most approved darkey manner. amusing yet the same time wonderful pieces of rions saltatory movements on their own account. finally returning to the trunk, can be recommended to those who seek an excuse for a hearty and especially snuggling in opium-the most laugh. The partom me which follows, entitled "the Beauty and the Beast," is well written, which had its home in this Colony, and which produced at a London theatre, while it is not too a free port. The Ordinance being of the "business" are infinitely more novel. sion and being intended to remedy this The performance concludes with a very pretty grievance it would be difficult to confidently recommend the Marionettes.

CRICKET.

AND MEN OF THE GARRISON. This match was played on the Cricket Ground yesterday, and resulted in a victory for the

The following is the score:-

Frage Inmings.

G. A. Bramwell, Eath, o Brown, b BOWLING ANALYSIS. Balls, Runs, Maidens, Wickets, Wides ergt, llinton, 5.th, c Lloyd, b BOWLING ANALYSIS.

> Second Innings. THE HONGKONG CHAMBER OF COM

BILL. . . Chamber of Commerce to the Government:-

MERCE AND THE NEW OPIUM

Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce-29th March, 1887. Str. -I am directed by the Committee of this of the Committee was held to-day to consider the

fully discussed, and various views expressed as to animonsly resolved :-

a Bill which would afford ample protection stop at no measures that would effect this. to the Chinese Government and in no way however much inconvenience they might cause injure the trade of the port, and they are nuanimously of opinion that a further postponement of the debate on the second reading for at least one calendar month is imperatively necessary to enable the public to

The Committee beg to submit this matter for the consideration of His Excellency the Officer the importance of the question, respectfully arge that His Excellency will give it his early at- is only to be given if it can be given without intion.—I have &c.,

H. U. JEFFRIES. The Hon. F. Stewart, LL. D., Acting Colonial

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

His Excellency the Acting Governor, HON. W. H. MAESH, C.M.G. Hon. Sir George Phillippo. Chief Justice. Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary.

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Hon. Wong Shing. Hon. A. P. MACEWRN. Hon. J. BELL IRVING. Hon. C. P. CHATER.

Mr. A. SETH, Clerk of Councils. MINUTES. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

THE OPIUM BILL. The ACTING ATTORNEY-GENERAL-The only business on the order of the day, sir. is Counsel and this Council has consented to hear

of what is commonly called the Chefoo Convention and the Additional Article to that Convention signed last year in London. The object of the Convention and of the Additional Article was to ! provide a remedy if possible for the very griev-The animated skeleton is another of the most one complaints which had proceeded from this may require. Colony with reference to what is known as the Customs blockade and to which I need not fur mechanism. The dance of this mannikin, in ther refer, and also to find a remedy if possible which his joints part company and execute va- to the complaints which have been made for I many years by the Chinese Government that their revenue has been largely injured by smuggling, important article on which revenue is collectedcould not have existed to the extent to which tuneful and lively songs are interpolated. The did except for the this Colony with harlequinade is quite equal to what is often respect to the mainland because this Colony was much to say that many of the jokes and much outcome of the Convention and the Commis-

Co.'s and tasteful transformation scene, the gorgeous of the appropriateness of the remedy with upperand lower Wharves, Shanghai, were at half appearance of which is considerably increased out glancing first at the nature of the grievance. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, Tientsin mast on the 25th March, owing to the death of by the excellent limelight effects. To those who we cannot judge of the value of a me-Mr. Ludwig Wiese, formerly of the firm of are in search of an interesting and amusing way dicine until we know-something of the disease THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, Hankow Messrs. Siemssen & Co., in China, and letterly in which to pass away a couple of hours, we can for which it was prescribed. This colony was Isoffering severely from a disease called the A change of programme is provided every | blockade. The Chinese were suffering from To remody these two diseases this Ordinance is brought forward, and, with your permission, I will runhastily over the historical facts of the case.—The learned Queen's Counsel then gave a resume of the history of the opium trade.

and, while not denying that amuggling existed said that it was due to the imperfection in the arrangements of the Chinese Government in the management of their own revenue. It had been held as a broad principle of international law that a country was not called upon to protect the revenue laws of another country. On that principle the Hongkong Government had noted until now, and the Chinese had been left to remedy their fiscal administration | as best they could Endeavouring to do this, they established these blockade stations. For some years after the establishment of these blockade stations the merchants in Hongkong had cause of grievous complaint with the method they enforced the duties. But this arose from the imperfection in the Chinese system of revenue con- be said to deal in opium wholesale. sequent on the farming out of the revenue to private individuals. He thought it would be recognised that in course of time, in consequence mainly of the complaints made from this Colony, vigorously enforced in London and Peking, these abuses connected with the blockade stations, even under the Hoppo, were greatly diminished. A better class of men. who knew better what to do, were appointed, and for some years past these stations had been fairly and reasonably conducted; and in many respects had been considerable advantage to the retail trade of the Colony. He did not mean retail with reference to the size of the package and quantity of goods.

Hoppo, because for the purpose of inducing the dealers to send through his office as large a portion of the opinm as possible he allowed a deduction of something like 25 per cent, on the ing to the Imperial Maritime Customs at Canton sent the onium through his office. The effect of that was that instead of paying the duty of \$5.10 por ball, which was the duty until quite recently. they paid only \$3.10 on each ball. Undoubtedly, even to the present day, there were certain disadvantages in connection with the existence of these blookade stations in the hands of the Hoppo. Trade is sometimes subjected to squeezes, and, as in the case of korosine the other day, to exceptional duty. Against these abuses the Hougkong Government had a right to complain. It was a violation of treaty which ought to have-been-put-

but the trade in the hands of the Chinese

who sold to the Chinese who came here from

the neighbouring villages. That trade was

parried on to considerable advantage under the

right without any demand being made upon ing advantage. But the Government come to an understanding with the Chinese Government to afford some protection to the Chinese revenue and to diminish the facilities that existed in Hongkong for smuggling into China; and such. a course was probably wise in the persent state of intercourse between nations. Such an agreement being made the English Government and The following letter has been addressed by the the Government of Hongkong were bound to co-operate with the Chinese Government in protecting the revenue of China. The learned Counsel proceeded.—This being the state of affairs, a Commission sat in Hongkong Chamber to inform you that a special meeting to endeavour to remove-all reasonable cause of complaint on the part of the mercantile community with reference to the blockade, and, on the other hand, to come to some understanding with the Chinese Government as to the best

method of settling all the disputed questions the object of the proposed measure, it was un- with reference to smuggling. On that Commission meeting, three or four different "That this Committee, after listening to the projects were submitted. One of them was arguments of those interested in the Opinm that either in India, or here in Hongkong, the Trade of this Colony, believe that no Bill English Government should undertake the resthat limits the trade in Opium to whole chests | ponsibility of collecting the Chinese Opium Rewill be safe or satisfactory, and that no mo- venue. That of course was rejected. The difications can render the present Bill accept. second alternative proposition was that the able while it contains that provision; and the | Chinese should be left, as they are left by inter-Committee further think that if adequate national law, to take what measures seem best to time were given they could in concert with | them for the protection of their own revenue: the parties interested lay before the Council and it was broadly intimated that they would

to our trade. But that, too, was rejected by the English Commissioners, as the earnest desire was to find some means by which we could co-operate with the Chinese Government to lesson the smuggling, and enable them the betunderstand thoroughly the scope and objects | ter to protect their revenue. The only agreeof the proposed measure and to discuss the ment existing and binding on the English Gowhole question preparatory to submitting a vernment is, that the Government of the Colony new Bill free from the objectionable features of Hongkong shall co-operate with the Chinese Government in protecting the revenue, and especially the Custom's revenue derived from the opium trade. But it appears from the memo-Administering the Government, and in view of random laid on the table of the Council the other day by your Excellency that co-operation jury to ourselves. In that minute your Excel-

> Under instructions from Her Majesty's Government the British Commissioners could not assent to the first roposal and did not take it into consideration. It is of a nature that could not be sanctioned by the Government of this Colony. However, as it was desirable These proposals were accepted by the Chinese Government. Subsequent discussion led to some modifications and the conditional arrangement arrived at is

he one now laid on the table:

Now, sir, I ask this hon. Council to bear in to ourselves. Now, what was the effect of the memorandum of agreement which was signed by Mr. Justice Russell ? In the first place, would call your attention to the fact, it may be merely a trivial and purely a technical but at the same time I think it is of some importance, that this is not a memorandum of agreement. It is a memorandum of the basis of an agreement to be come to ultimately. It is a question for this hon. Council to consider, whether Mr. Justice Russell, as the Commissioner, was authorised to enter into any binding agreement. I make these remarks only for the purpose of inducing the Council to take this view, that they are free to consider these proposals on their merits, and are not bound, hard and fast to the Chinese Government by the memorandum then signed. For the very

first clause of that agreement is-Mr. Russell undertakes that the Government of Hongkong shall submit to the Legislative Council an Ordinance for the regulation of the trade of the Colony

laid before you are such as will not injure; in mainly from the surreptitious boiling of opium consumption in the colony the history of these stations. They are exist Mr. FRANCIS, who was instructed by Mr. any way, the trade of the colony. Then the by others than the farmer. The main cause was that purchased by the opium farmer for the as they did before, and in my opinion ey will

in behalf of the Chinese dealers in opium're- quently embodied in this Bill. But before leav- ment of this Government, which some years ago, Bill with the Singapore Ordinance, he said that cident in this Colony-other than the Opium ing this memorandum, I would call your attent drove the opium farmer out of Hongkong and the quantity of opium imported into Singapore in Farmer, who is not interested very directly and tion to the fact that the Government are to be caused him to establish himself in Macao. He the course of a year did not exceed, if it amounted does not appear to show cause against the entitled to repeal the Ordinance, if it is found could not give a stronger illustration of to so much, as 9,000 chests. Of this amount, second reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to be injurious to the revenue of Hongkong. the probability of the trade in the crude drug 1.000 chests might be taken by the opium farmer, for the better regulating the trade in opium." That, of course, could only have been inserted following the course he had indicated than the and the remaining 8,000 were shipped to Sourabut which in the opinion of my clients might upon the assumption by Mr. Justico Russell, in instance afforded by the trade in prepared baya and other places. The only trade carried much better have been cutifled "An Ordinance | the exercise of his personal and individual judg. opium itself. There was now a rapidly increasing on in Singapore itself was the trade of the for the immediate destruction of the retail trade ment, without having evidence on the point, trade in prepared opium in Macao, which was opium farmer. There was no trade carried in opium and for the discouragement and ulti- without consulting men practically acquainted supplying Australia and San Francisco, and it on by dealers, for the simple reason that mate suppression of the entire oplum trade," with the conditions of the trade, that it, per- was in consequence of that opposition that the they had no one to trade with. They This Bill was read a first time on the 18th haps, would not be injurious. Now, I submit, if opinm farmer here was suffering. It had been were 1,500 miles from China proper, and instant. It comes before the Council because it can be shown, before the Bill passes, that it said that these who objected to this Ordinance had no constituents to ship opium to. The in the latter part of last years Commission con- must necessarily be injurious, you will not be should be prepared to show that there was some object of the Singapore Bill was to protect sisting of an Officer representing this Colony, a departing from the spirit of the agreement if other means of co-operating with the Chinese the farmer and to get an increased rent from Consular Officer representing. I suppose, the you refuse to Tass it. The whole question is Government to attain the same ends without him; but the Ordinance here was brought in to Imperial Government, and Sir Robert Hart submitted to you. It would be unreasonable to doing injury to the trade. He would mention control the export trade and prevent smuggling. and a Chinese Mandarin, delegated by the Im- pass a Bill which you know must in a short a scheme which, however, he had not had time to Therefore, if they had no other argument, he that they are not really endowed with life. The perial Government of China under the provisions | time be repealed. Another thing in the memo. | claborate. The Chinese dealers proposed that submitted, that argument was sufficient alone to randum is worthy of consideration. It says-That an office under the Foreign Inspectorate of them should give security in \$1,000, \$2,000 on the model of an Ordinance brought in for a

> Having made that stipulation, you would have to see to its enforcement, and it would be a coasonable cause of complaint if it were not in which that chest was at the moment. Customs stations that surrounded the Colony. followed. You recognise in this the existence The Chinese say they are prepared to pay The Chinese were perfectly within their rights of a Chinese Custom Honse, and of duty paid certificates. Now, what is this trade and its nature, with which you propose to deal in this Ordinance? I am very much afraid there must have been, in the minds of the Commissioners an almost perfect blank as to the nature and details of the trade with which they proposed to interfere. The opium trade in this Colony represents a turnover in each year of something like 100,000 chests. Of Bengal opium, which includes Benares and Patna opinm, there are 48,000 obests. Malwa opium, which comes from Bombay, about 10,000, and Persian and Turkish 10,000 chests -in all 98,000 chests. Of this 48,000 chests brings, perhaps, only a small commission to the revenue of the Colony. Of these 52,000 Persian, and Turkish. There is the greatest possible difference between the two classes of lasses are dealt with in the trade. Bengal opium comes from India in chests of 40 balls each of the same weight and quality, and the whole packed up and guaranteed by the Indian Government. The great importers and Indian traders invariably deal with it in chasts of 40 balls; and if there were no other trade but the trade in Bengal opium the Ordinance proposed would not be by any means so injurious as under existing circumstances it threatens to be. But the Malwa, Persian, and Turkish opium comes here without any such certificate of ing in quantity and quality, and the Chinese traders, before they purchase it, open the chests, take out a portion of the opium, and test it The Indian opium dealers in the Colony may before him. nover sell nador any circumstances, as a rule, less than a complete chest. But the moment opinm of either description passes into the hands of the Chinese, a totally different state of the wholesale merchants, a body of gentlem in the chest at all. Therefore, the Chinese must ties of their trade, to which I will refer more on their trade without any cause for blame from | tion of smuggling, the scheme of his learned

particularly by and by they open every chest of l pack it in packages or bags or baskets, containnacked in the same way as Bragal, in larger requirements of the case. Now, this Ordinance which absolutely prohibits any person from having in his possession any' 12. less than a whole chest of opinm, and which defines a whole chest of opin note botthe existed brackage, will; if it goes no further, there writy revolution ze the

whole trade in opium as now carried on by the Chinese. It even renders it impossible for the n to repack the opium in smaller quantities or in smaller packages than those in which it arrives to suit the condition of their trade. It may be said that although that trade is a very important one and represents a very considerable amount f money, that still it is a smuggling trade, that s. that it depends for its success on the onium so sold by the Chinese boing snuggled out of Hongkong. Butthat is not so. There is very little opium, compared with the entire bulk of the trade. now snuggied directly out of Hongkong. So far as can be ascertained by the Indian and Chinese dealers, the bulk of that which evades daty is that which goes by steamer to Macao. and is distributed from there. But whether there is smuggling here, or not, the retail trade in and value, if smuggling were absolutely put a stop to, and rendered impossible, to-morrow. The people who come here to purchase opium from the Chinese dealers-ind their purchases amount to 36,000 chests per year, representing a sum of \$18,000,000—are traders, of greater or lesser importance, from the towns and distriots within one hundred or one hundred and fifty miles to the east and west of us, and in the estuary of the Canton River. They come here, as a centre, to purchase their piece goods and shirt-

ings and metals, and all the otherstocksthey want for their district. Although it may be admitted that this retail trade first came to Hongkong because of the facilities. Hongkong offered for evading duties and smaggling the goods ato the uterior, that trade has now worked into a groove, and if smuggling were rendored absolutely and physically impossible to-morrow, that trade would still come to Hongkong, would still run in the same channels, unless it is forcibly diverted The Chinese trader at one of the neighbouring villages has the choice, it may be said, of coming to Hongkong or going to Canton for his goods. It may be said he has been coming for years to Hongkong because he gains some benefit from it, by paying less duties or being able to evadthe payment of duties, and that he would go to Canton to-morrow if there were no such special advantages attending his coming here. But a course of trade once established is not to be altered in that way. A Chinaman who has been in the habit of coming here, will still come here. Why? Because of his connections. He has his correspondents and his banks here, and the junks or which he ships belong to lines running to this lace. Therefore, I submit there is in this colony a large and valuable retail trade pinm which is absolutely independent of

the existence of smurgling. It represents a turnover of \$18,000,000 a year, and it represents so many hongs filled, so much rent paid, so much taxes collected, and it contributes to the wealth and commercial importance of this colony. the Hulk plan as it appeared to the Hongkong Com. comes into his hands, weigh if, test it, and glers. Then, they say, againmissioner to be, even with considerable modifications, pack it in any shape or form that may suit his customers. It prevents him taking away any posals which he had long had under consideration. stopped, because the trader, when he gets his under cover of night. opium from the importer can take the chests over to the Customs' station at Kowloon, and there open them, weigh and test the contents, and mind, first, that we are only bound to be operate and get his certificates. That may be perfectly says with the Chinese in the protection of their true, but if he is forced to do that, will be keep revenue in so far as we can do so without injury up any establishment in Hongkong at all?

and in half an hour buy his opinm and make arrangements for sending it over to Kowloon. The
learned Counseldwelt at some length on this point,
arguing that the effect of the Bill would be to create an opposition port on the other side of the The learned Counsel went on to say that the stations were put there at his suggestion, but he water and to drive away from the colony the new system of collecting lekin with the duty said it was to enable the Chinese Government to greater portion of the important and valuable would at once remove the state of things referred | collect its revenue on opium in its own waters new port the trade in other goods would soon sible, by any means that could be taken here, to me that should a case be submitted to him where up two establishment. He contrasted the it was impossible to go beyond the fact found by the jected to overcharge, he would interfere. I recoling at Singapore, and said there was no opium smuggled from the colony could not be was Customs Commissioner, of this conversation,

Ewens, said-Sir, I appear here to-day memorandum goes on to give the clauses subse- from which it was suffering was the mismanage- | purpose of proparing. Comparing the present ment liked, so that there would be no possibility, that they were engaged in smuggling opium. of evasion. By this scheme, he maintained, the Hon. P. Ryrie-Not trading in opium at all; revenue of the Chinese Government would be most of the vessels seized had no opium at all. protected without the trade of the Colony being !. injured. The dealers did not object to the in-

> way proposed by the Ordinance before the Chinese themselves. That junk, which had paid merely passes through the Colony in transit and Council. If there was any difficulty about that duty at Tamsui, and was bound to Hongkong, proposition, it was the purely sentimental objection was confiscated, and her owners ruined. It was merchants, here. But some 52,000 chests of that this colony should not be asked to look at, against such outrages as this that the protests opium remain in the Colony, and are handled or take any ubtice of, a duty paid certificate, were made. Since them, owing to these comhere, and the profits on that trade contribute to But by the agreement they had already recog. plaints and the community of the Imperial Gonised the existence of a Custom-house, and had vernment, the Custom; stations had, for a long chests a very considerable portion is Malwa, stipulated that traders should be entitled to get time past, confined themselves to their legitithose certificates. All that was asked was that mate and proper duties, and he was not aware what had been stipulated for in the agreement of any complaint having been made for some opium and the way in which the two different should be recognised here. Referring to the in- years past: A great consideration for carjury that would be done by the present Bill, the rying this Bill through was learned counsel in conclusion said—The injury blockade would be raised. Now, under to the colony will be done the day the first Chi- | the new arrangement, he did not see that nese trader establishes himself at Kowloon, under the blockade would be raised at all; it the shadow of the Custom-house. An Ordinance would only be transferred from the officers of the embodying the scheme I have surgested might | Opium Farmer of Canton to the officers of the be brought in at once. The Chinese are ready | Imperial Customs. He did not see what advantto submit to it to-morrow. If disapproved of, it | ago that would be. If the Haikwan did not could be repealed without any injury having molest the junks in their legitimate trade he been done to anyone, and the present Ordinance, did not see what was to be gained. In fact, or any other equivalent to it, passed. This whereas the Haikwan gave a discount, the offi-Ordinance, if passed, will domischief; the other | cers of the Imperial Customs would grant none. would preserve all existing futerests until re- In that way there would be no consideration for ference has been made to the Secretary of State, | the very stringent ordinance which was about

> His Excellency then invited Mr. Brereton adulterated, and if it was known by to address the Council. Mr. Brereron, who was instructed by Messrs. inspection here, it would be adulterated much Wotton and Descon, said he appeared on behalf more, or perhaps, there might be no opium in of circumstances arises. Owing to the necessi- who for the past twenty-seven years had carried take it out and repack it. As to the preventhe Government and without any restrictions friend met the circumstances completely, and Bengal drug, weigh every ball, and label it, and on their trade. He was instructed by these he could not see what objection there could instead of restoring it to its original chest, they gentlemen to say that if the Bill was carried out be to it. If the chause of the Bill forbidding in its present form the principal part of their the sale of less than one chest was retained, ing different numbers of balls and of different business would be destroyed, in fact it would the whole of the rotail trade in opium was weights. But Malwa, Persian, or Turkish, they render their residence in this colony of little gone, and all those people who had invested make up invariably in packets of three catties value to themselves. On looking at the Bill large sums of money and spent their lives, each, done up in paper, and labelled with its it was impossible, he thought, to avoid feeling some of them over thirty years, in the busiweight and value, and these packets are that the framers could not have thoroughly ness, would have spent their lives in vain. He entisfied thomselves as to the magnitude of was told that the amount of capital invested in packets or baskets or bags, to suit the various the interests involved About 100,000 chests of the wholesale and retail trade was over \$35,000,000.

opium came to this Colony in the course of a year, and there were two lines of steamers, besides the representing a value of over \$52,000,000. Of P. & O. and Franch lines, engaged in the trade these 100,000 chests, about 52,000 chasts wored retained in the Colony, the remainder being your Was that a trade to be lightly disturbed, things to the trante norte in foreign vessels. got vonr figures from ?

opium dealers, and I find on referring to the ren 1883 to enquire into the alleged onium smaggling, that the figures substantially agree. the tairman of that Commission, and it does not substantially agreed In one year, for inthe report—\$5,000 chests leaving a bilance of

19,000. That is a very grave difference. Mr. BRERETON-I believe a chest contains paid duty. As this Ordinance had been intro- when the outrages he had mentioned were duced for the object of checking smuggling, it happening, there would have been some excuse, was important to ascertain what was the actual because then there was a real blockade in existence, quantity which was smuggled. It was impost and they were auxious to get it away. sible to obtain that knowledge with perfect ac- Bift where was the necessity now? The oursey, but he had in his hand the report of the Customs stations were still here, and if the Or-Commission appointed in 1383 to inquire into dinance were passed, it was said, it would not be the subject. That Commission examined a put in force at once. His clients had no desire great number of witnesses, the most compet- to impede legislation; they were auxious ent that could be found. They first found to co-operate in passing a measure which the quantity of opium imported into China, would, while affording ample protection to the and that was, for the year 1878.94.899 piculs: 1879.107,970 piculs; 1830, 96,839 piculs; 1881, 98,556 piculs, and 1882, 85,555 piculs; but since then there

said in their report:— Making allowance for what is boiled at Hougkong. for local consumption and export, and also what is shipped in its raw state elsewhere than to China. estimated by Sir Thomas Wade at 7,500 piculs for 1975, the Commissioners think that the number of picula of Opium amaggled into China from Hongkong. taking the roturns for that year as a guide, cannot be more than 4,00) piculs annually.

had been a large increase. The Commissioners

In order to prevent that 4,000 piculs being smuggled into China, this bill, which placed etters on the whole trade, was brought in. The remedy was far in excess of grievance to be recti-The Commissioners further said:--

That no special class of beats or junks is employed in the smuggling of Opiam, or is fitted out in the Colony for the purpose of such amugrling. That it is customary for all Chinese vessels of certain size to carry small cannon and fire arms for protection against piracy, and although the boats engaged in smuggling opium, which endeavour to evade and armed then is ordinarily the case with passengers or trading junks, none have cone under the notice of

enable thom to engage successfully in fights with Revenue Cruisers. Now, that trade must absolutely cease if this This was said because Sir John Pope Hennessy Ordinance passes. The very essence of the had stated that smuggling, to a great extent. Ordinance is to prevent the Chinaman do- was carried on in the waters of Hongkong, and ing what he has hitherto done, that is, to that conflicts were constantly taking place beneedless to enterinto the arguments for and against break up overy chest of opium that tween Chinese Customs officers and the smug-

> In effect, smuggling of opium is carried on mainly quantity less than a chest, and a chest in its ori- junks, by Chinese passengers in Foreign steamers

you have not read, is very much stronger.

of Lekin and other taxes upon Foreign Opium on the done? He can come over here in the morning, are formed, to whom are given a certain number of balls

junk trade, for if opium were dealt in at the to in the passage just quoted, but it was impos- close on the borders of Hongkong, and he assured follow, as the merchants would not wish to keep avoid snuggling in the interior. But he thought | Manchester goods or produce of any kind were subconditions of the trade here with those exist. Commissioners, that the greatest amount of lect shortly afterwards telling Mr. Bower, who analogy between them. It had been urged that more than 4,000 piculs. Seeing that the Bill and he laughed and said, "Wait; in six months you whatever inconveniences the Bill might bring applied to the entire quantity of opium brought will see that the duty will be collected at these on the retail trade in opium would be more than into the colony both for export to the treaty stations on everything." I merely replied that I compensated for by the enormous increase which | ports and for local consumption, it was harass- relied on Sir Brooke Robertson's, statement. The would take place in the revenue from the opium ing and injuring the trade unnecessarily to reason given by Sir Brooke Robertson for which affected our revenue here from the If clauses 3 and 4 were retained, the effect would stations was that, he said, by the Treaty proval, and your co-operation is only to be at Singapore; but the opinm revenue here, leave the port, and if that went so also would privilege in their own waters of doing what they

each of them should be licensed, and that each condemn the Ordinance, because it was framed shall be established on Chinese territory at a con- or \$3,000 for his obedience to the law. They different purpose, and in a Colony whose venient spot on the Kowleon side for sale of Chinese further proposed that chests of opium on com- opium trade was diametrically opposite. With opium duty certificates, which shall be freely sold to ing into the colony should be registered and regard to the blockade, some seven or eight or comers, and for such quantities of opinm as they a record kept in the Harbour Master's office, nine years ago, there were great complaints of or in the office of some regular servant of the the blockade, and he was often consult-Government, of every chest of opium that ed professionally in these cases. The comcame into the colony and of the custody plaints were not levelled against the the heaviest penalty, if they are not able to in establishing these stations within their own produce, there and then, so many chests of waters, and although they might be inconvenient opium as are in the record or duty paid certifi- for Hongkong, Hongkong had no right to comcates from the custom houses at the other side plain. What they did complain of was the confor what they may have disposed of. The pe- fiscations of the junks and property of peaceable naity might be made as heavy as the Govern. traders with this Colony under the pretence

> Mr. HREHETON them narrated the circumstances attending the seizure of the Kum Hop Sing junk, creased lekin, which weighed equally on all, but and referred to the late Sir Brooke Robertson as objected to their trade being destroyed in the having been considered more Chinese than the and a decision from him, not on an exparte to be passed. With regard to Malwa and Tur-

statement, but with the arguments of both sides | kish opium, it was impossible for the Chinese to sell it in chests. It was very greatly the people who sent it that it was not liable to rom Cylentia which erried 40,000 chests in a

naraly to quiet the fears of the Chinese Govern The CHEF JUSTICE-May Task when you has a to to the quantity of opium smuggled, which was very small and did not amount to more than Mr. BEERETON-I get my figures from the 4,000 chests, as found by the Commission to which he had already referred. If he had port of the Commissioners who were appointed | not shown enough to satisfy the Council that clauses 3 and 4 should be withdrawn and bxpunged from the Bill, he hoped he had said The CHIEF JUSTICE-No. I happened to be enough to warrant him in asking them to postpone the second reading of the Bill for at least a month; so that full time might be given to the stance, there were only 89,000 chasts. Here is interests concerned, and above all to the Chamber of Commerce, the gnardian of the commercial interests of the Colony, to consider the Bill. They had had no meeting yet, except a Committee meetsomething under a picul. In one year there ing which, he understool, took place on Tuesday. were 107.970 piculs. In the year 1831, there | He gave the framers of the Bill every credit for were 97,556. In 1882, 85,000 chests; but I believe the best intentions, but he considered it a it has been increased since then. I have always most crude and imperfect production. In the understood that in round numbers, the number Sing spore Ordinance there were ninety-five opium would be carried on to the same extent of chests coming into the Colony has been set clauses relating to aginm, while in the Hongdown at 100,000 chests. In the year 1879 there kong one, there were only twenty-one clauses. were 107,000 chests. The loranced Counsel went There were many points to be considered before on to give details of the distribution of the such an Ordinance as this could be passed. He opium, and said that of the 36,000 chests, which | failed to see that there was any necessity for comained for sale in Hongkong, the great bulk haste. If this arrangement had been come to

Chinese Government, do no injury to themselves. It was the same with the Chinese. All parties were agreed as to the spirit and main purpose of the Bill; it was only on detail they disagreed If time were granted, he thought his learned friend and himself, with the assistance of the Chamber of Commerce, might undertake to frame an ordinance which would meet the views of all parties. _Under these circumstances he would, with great respect, ask the Connoil not to proceed with the second reading, but to postpone it for a month. Mr. Deacon had just pointed out to him that for the five years covered by the report of the 1883 Commission,

the average number of chests imported was The CHIEF JUSTICE-There was a large number imported into this Colony, and a considerably larger number went out of it. So it tells both ways.

Mr. FRANCIS (sotto voce)-That is an Irish way of doing things, at any rate. Mr. Breneton-I have not seen that. The CHIEF JUSTICE—It is in the Report.

Mr. BREEZON said there could be no possible bjection to a correct account being taken of the amount imported. In conclusion, the learned Counsel argued against the powers given to the opium farmer by the Bill, and urged that, if such powers were to be created at all, they ought to be entrusted to the Harbour Master or some other responsible Government official.

Hon. P. Ryrie-I rise, sir, to make a motion for the postponement of the second reading of this Bill. My two learned friends have said so much on the importance of the Bill that they have not left much for me- to say. I can echo what was Council was held yesterday afternoon. There me and the country of the council was held yesterday afternoon. There me and the country of the c opium, and many other things that are absolutely necessary. I confirm what he says with re-Mr. Brereton-I do not see that. It does not gard to the blockade. Great stress is laid on the repack them just as he pleases, pay the duty immediately refer to what I am dealing with. It fact that the Colony of Hougkong has been crying out about the blockade-more stress than is necessary at the present time. I confirm what The great increase which has taken place in the lovy Mr. Brereton said, that our complaints were Will be not be forced, by the necessities of his Mainland has led, within the last two years, to an never with reference to opium, but to piece goods business, to take himself and his establishment organised system of emuggling from the Colony to and produce. I recollect very well when these over to Kowloon where his work has to be places at some considerable distance within the stations were first started. There were all kinds neighboaring province of Kwangtung. Binds of men of reports about what they were woing to

adjourned for one calcudar month."

intention to vote against the second reading, it the meantime, we may get further figures as to a very few woods.

trade in broken chests. We will prevent chests to give a month's postponement, and for what i have said—
of opinm being opened." Undoubtedly this Who wants to ship opinm into China now! His Excellence—I think you must conwould have a very serious effect on the whole Who can send any with posit, either in chests fine yourself to the question of the adjourn-* trade of this colony. I am under the impression or in single balls at the present time. the Government believes there is a very large stock of opium at present. I am oredibly informed the stock is only 2,000 chests.

1.—Patna and Benares are also called Bengal Opium. When they are purchased from a Foreign firm there is no question of weight. Each chest contains at a rule forty balls and is opened for inspection one to receive it, that they had a very good chance, at the Foreign firm to ascertain that it contains the and that they were sending as much as they could. form. requisite number of forty balls

2.—When the opium is brought to the shop (of the Chinese dealer) each ball will be weighed by the scale and the weight marked on it, and resold according to weight. Purchasers sometimes come themselves and sometimes soud letters to make purchases. The places to which the opium is exported are Shanghai, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, Hoihow, Pakhoi, and other ports. If shipped on board steamers the opium is put in chasts covered with matting, and certain marks are

inland ports the opium is either packed in chests or it? That they wished to sell their opium, and don't think we ask too much. I believe a two porties. Every thing, he said, rested with a land to be a sell their opium, and don't think we ask too much. I believe a two porties. Every thing, he said, rested with a land to be a sell their opium, and don't think we ask too much. I believe a two porties. Every thing, he said, rested with a land to be a sell their opium, and don't think we ask too much. I believe a two porties. Every thing, he said, rested with the land to be a sell their opium, and don't think we ask too much. I believe a two porties. Every thing, he said, rested with the land to be a sell their opium, and the land to be a sell their opium, and the land to be a sell their opium. waters of Hongkong the junks touch at the Custom to sell it to advantage. And how can they do scheme could be brought forward, which would Mr. Gladstone; and the longer a reconciliation that? Naturally they don't inquire, but, as satisfy, not only the experting merchants and was delayed the wider would the severance be-

MALWA, PERSIAN, AND TURKEY OFIUM. or weight. Sometimes a few chasts or tens of chasts are under one mark, and-from one mark of goods three samples are given to the Chinese dealers for qualities,

chests according to the weight of the opium. Pakhoi, and other ports, they are sent in chests of about 50 parcels each. These chests are packed in matting and rattan with marks of the Chinese dealers srmed bands already. put on. Duty will be paid at the Customs when they have arrived at their destination. When they are eent by Chinese craft to Shek Lung, Wai Chan, Chan with rifles going to be disarmed very easily by

Now, sir, it appears to me to be evident from that can be got up in opposition to this Bill. that, and from the statem at made, which I be- We have heard a scheme suggested. It does lieve to be correct, that this retail trade amounts not need much to show that that scheme is to something like \$18,000,000 annually, that it entirely out of the question. The result would is absolutely necessary that this dealing in broken simply be that we should have to punish people chests should be permitted. It was stated at the for offences against Chinese law. We should have last meeting of Council, that one reason why the to make smuggling into China a criminal offence. Government was anxious to push this matter It is all nonsonse to talk about their engaging ment, was charged with stealing two eggs from first collision occurred at Kherwari, 128 miles forward was, because your Excellency intended themselves to take out certificates and account a shop in Yau-ma-ti on the 26th inst. and further from Bombay, between two goods trains. The shortly to take your departure, and that the for the opium they have received and distributed. with assaulting the shopkeeper. Chief Justice is also leaving. The Council That could not be done unless you make neglect would doubtless derive great advantage from a penal offence and impose heavy fines. Who will soldiers of the regiment had been in the habit jumping off, but they were seriously injured. the assistance of your Excellency and his Honour, have to be tried? Chinese, who will be sent to of going to this street and, in a spirit of misbut I may be permitted to point out that Sir our prisons. What for? No offence against our chief, taking petty articles from the shops. De- bulpore passenger train and a train of empty George Bowen, who knows something about the law, but for offences against Chinese law. We fendant, on the date in question, went to a shop special carriages at Niphat, eight miles from the question, is shortly expected, and in place of his should in fact undertake to check the smuggling and took two eggs. He was pursued by the shop- scene of the former collision. The guard of the Honour, we should have Mr. Justice Russell, here. That has been considered. I think, more keeper, who asked for payment, which was rewho has given so much time and attention to than once, and it has been distinctly stated by the fused, and defendant farther assaulted him with covery is despaired of. A dozen passengers were this matter. Before sitting down, I should like Foreign Office to be entirely out of the question. a stick. this matter. Before sitting down, I should like Foreign Office to be entirely out of the question. a stick. to make a statement. Within the last two They say "We will not undertake any of these or three days, the Chinese and Parsees duties. It would only give the Chinese Governhave been preparing to leave this Colony, ment an opportunity of remonstrating with us and have already invested in property in Can. for not carrying out our duties. It would give of the British ship Clan Robertson, and Haken pending their arrival. ton I know, as a fact, purchases of property rise to endless recrimination and trouble, and it Olxas, 24. unemployed, were charged with being have been made within the last twenty-four is a course we will not embark upon." The ques- drunk and disorderly in Queen's Road Central hours at some hundred and twenty-two per cent. Ition was considered by the learned Commissioner at one o'clock in the morning and the second dehigher than it could have been purchased for himself, Mr. Russell. First of all it was thought fendant was further charged with assaulting last week. I therefore earnestly hope further something of this sort might be done, that the Dalial Singh, P. C. 580. time will be given, and that the un production of duty paid certificates would be The charge having been proved, the second Dowan of the State, of making indecent official members of this Council, and the com- prima facie evidence that the possessor intended defendant was fined \$2, and the first and third proposals regarding, his daughter. Making munity generally, may have an opportunity of to export the opium. But on consideration, each \$1. considering this important measure, which will, and consultation with the official (Mr. Brenau),

other day the Council decided it was not pos- not work at all. And although Sir Robert Hart on the 15th February. The fireman was closely arily at all events, drawing to a close, Governsible to grant the adjournment asked for. The might accept it for the time being, when he followed by four stalwart men, who bere on their ment are obliged to consider Mr. Wilson's consame motion is made to day, and no reason found smuggling was still being carried on he shoulders a miniature coffin. Behind them came duct to have been in the highest degree discrenot given then is brought forward in sup- would use the repressive measures he has. From the mourners. The members of a country com- ditable to himself, and detrimental to the public port of it. The great reason which has been all I have heard Sir Robert Hart met the Com- pany who were using the stage for the purposes service. Regarding his having given a flatterover and over again urged is, that if this missioners in the fairest way. He knew his of rehearsal were astounded. In reply to their ing testimonial to the Dewan from drafts pre-Bill passes it will remove the retail trade in powers of harassing the trade of the colony inquiries, they learned that poor old "Pickles" pared by the Dowan himself, Government say it opium from this Colony. Now, really no reason but was not desirous of exercising them, was about to be buried in the adjoining yard. was a discreditable abuse of his official position. whatever has been given why it should do so. His sole object was to work in unison with "Pickles" was a very favourite cat in the theatre. Government defer taking action in the matter, The advantages which will be given by the us, and carry out a somewhat disagree- and everyone at once recognised the propriety of however, until the proceedings have been consid-Chinese Government and the mode of operation able task in a manner as little injurious the ceremony, for "Pickles" and Drury Lane ered by the Secretary of State for India. which will take place under this Ordinance have to us as possible and without prejudice to him. Theatre have for years been inseparable. "Pickles" been totally overlooked, and we have had only the self. I have no doubt Sir Robert Bart has also was at one time induced to become a public repeated and reiterated statement that this Bill considered the question of expense. To establish performer, being brought on in a pie by Mr. "I should not be at all surprised," says a will destroy the retail trade. Now, if there is an effective blockade on the coast, and search Harry Payne, the clown, but, as Mr. Payne now correspondent, "if shortly the Spanish Govern-

exist hereafter, only they will be conducted collency to adjourn the Council. There are some believe every one, of any influence in the colony, MACHINERY FOR THE PORT AR. more stringently. We know an officer of the statements which have been made that, no was consulted before the proposals were sent Foreign Customs has arrived, and it is said, doubt, some of us would like to look into. So home, including Chinese and Indians. The arrived fifty assistants, but that I think is an faras I have the opportunity of judging from the rangement was sent away with the approvalexaggoration. They say they have come to statistics given to me when a nad the honour of of this Government and, it seems to me, the raise the blookade, but I think they have come presiding as Chairman of the Smuggling Commis- Government will not be doing its duty to China to intensify it. I propose the second reading be sion some of the figures have been very much er- unless it does its best to enforce it. aggerated. Of course I do not say exaggerated The Colonial Treasurer-I beg, sir, to Hon. A. P. MACEWEN-I bog to second the wilfully, but I mean they do not tally with the second the amendment of the Chief Justice. At

was first, introduced, it was the intention Bill, I do not think, at present, that is pos- the Bill. of the Government to ask my hon, friend sible. What does it mean? It means that The CHIEF JUSTICE-He is seconding the on the right (the Colonial Tressurer) to take the whole of this question is to remain in motion for the adjournment of the debate. charge of it. For some reason they trans, suspense for, perhaps, another two or three | The Colonial Treasurer One of the learnforred it to my learned friend opposite (the years, or, perhaps, as long as the Chefco Con- ed Counsel who addressed this Council against the Attorney-General), and I think, considering vention remained in suspense. What has been second reading of this Bill, going, I think, a little short notice he had, he is to be congred done now? It has been said the only agreement the beyond the limit to which his representation tulated on the clear and lucid statement that has been entered into with the Chinese of the interests of his clients should have conhe made. But I think that statement went Government is that we should engage to do fined him, discredited the character of the Bill more to show the advantage which would what we can to put a stop to smuggling into by comparing it unfavourably with the Singaaccrue to the Chinese Government than any ad- China, provided it did not clush with pore Ordinance, in which he said, there were

turally looked for words of wisdom from my The whole question has been well considered as the present Bill contains only twenty-one hon friend on the right (the Colonial Treasurer) by this Government and the draft Bill has been From this he draws a comparison unfavourable who seconded the motion, and I closely followed submitted, not only to the Chinese Government, to the Hongkong Bill, as showing that it had been his argument. I was met at the outset by the but to the Viceroy of India, to the Secretary of drawn hastily. The Singapore Ordinance, which statement that, whether this bill passed or not, the State for Lodia and the Council, and to the is a very long-winded one, does contain an imretail trade of this colony in opium was almost, if | Portuguese Government; and all the Government mense number of sections, but they relate to the not entirely, doomed. That is a statement that can ments have agreed in recommending it boiling of opium, to what are called farm shops, be easily refuted. My hon friend went on to say should be carried out. What is to be done and to all manner of provisions, which are, more it was desirable that every means should be taken if any alteration is made in the Bill? It must or less, already provided for in our Ordinance to increase the revonue of the Colony, and this go back for the consideration of all these various for boiled opium. We have a Consolidated Orpresent. But I think that he overlooked the allow steps to be taken for the purpose of re- want, and it has, therefore, not been necessary to

reliable set of man, abrougly recommended to him by his friend Sir Cecil Smith, but I do not say they cannot consider it in a short time will receive move. That is about the only point You do not say that in your ordinary business of importance, so far as I am aware, that has farmer will not have just as much opportunity affairs. You say "yes" or "no," and take not been provided for, and it is one which, I tube type, and two of multitubular five-tube offsmuggling, if this Ordinance passes, as others the consequences, and that, I think, you will think, can be easily provided for. It is almost type, externally fired. The whole plant is a type, externally fired. The whole plant is a ave now. The whole object of the Bill, as I take have to do in this case. The arrangement impossible, in drafting an Ordinance of this nait, is to prevent smurgling. In other words, to in Macno is to come into force on the 1st ture, to provide for everything. It is also asendeav or to enable the Chinese Government to April. As I am informed, the Commissioners of serted, by the same counsel, that the blockade collect every cent of revenue due. In order to Customs take over the stations here on the 2nd is in no way got rid of. I admitted that in do that, you say, "Very well, we will stop the April. Well, what has to be done? You ask us my remarks the other evening, but I should

Hon. P. RYRIE-Why not? The ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL-The Go- ed here now that happened when the duty was put on the left (Hon. A. P. MacEwen) that in a vernment has never said so, and is under no on in California. There, the opium was sent in conversation between us, some few days ago largely before the duty took effect. And what he expressed himself to this effect-Hon. A. P. MacEwen-I believe, moreover, was the result? For weeks, and for months I Hon. A. P. MacEwen-I rise to order. the Government is under the impression that believe, there was not a single shipment of opium my hon, friend in order in repeating any conopinin being smuggled into China, and of armed there be any opinm sent into China that is not this Council? bands being organised for that purpose. On smuggled for some time, now. The opium that The Colonial Treasures -I was merely the 17th of this mouth this occurred, that there has gone in up to the present time has, some going to say that the hon member has, on many was a band of one hundred men, fully armed, of it, paid the ordinary fee. None of it has paid occasions, professed against the slowness and and that they had in their possession opinm lekin within the last two months. What took delay of the Government. He says he cannot unopium, if that is the case, I ask, why are these duty. Of course it did not matter to them who the Government forced to place the least obstacle rotail dealers anxious to be allowed to continue paid the lekin. It shortly afterwards transpired in the way of the follost discussion, I can do their trade? The answer of the Government how that came about. Because the Chinese gave nothing but second the motion. will probably be, "Because they want to smug- notice that on the 1st February they would Hon. C. P. CHATER-Your Excellency, I beg

to pay the duty onevery chest." Surely that shows That every man here then sent up all the His EXCELLENCY—Had we better not settle bond fides on their part, and that it is not with opinm he could to the Treaty ports, leaving this question of the adjournment, and then my the intention of smuggling that they oppose the it to the purchasers to pay the lekin or hon. friend can speak on the merits of the Bill. Bill Now, with regard to the mode of packing not, as they thought fit. Well, what happened at the next meeting? You are speaking on the opium, I will, with your Excellency's permission, then? By some mistake or other, the lekin duty merits? read a short statement given to me by an was not collected at the stations in the neigh. Hon. C. P. Chater-No, sir, I am speaking eminent authority. It has already been alluded bourhood of Hongkong. The Chinese dealers on the adjournment. His Hongur said, one of the to by the Queen's Counsel and Mr. Brereton, in opium shipped all they could into the interior, easons for asking for the postponement of this but it will perhaps make it more clear if I state and to the ports around in large quantities. I Bill was that the merchants who had bought to be with me at the time-we were told that their opium. they had offered to pay lekin, that there was no

> Hon. P. KYRIE—The foreign merchants did not get the chance. The CHIEF JUSTICE—That may be, but the Chinese got the chance. What happened then P what the nature of the demand was. The

inspection and after duty is paid and clearance and it seems to me, the only way in which it retail dealers, but all the colonists, and perhaps come. Mr. Chamberlain hoped extrestly that can be done is by smuggling it into China. also Sir Robert Hart and his Commissioners. the Government would introduce a final settle-It was said the other day this measure would This, as I said before, requires time. The Com- ment of the Land Question concurred with the Mal. a, Persian, and Turkey Opium are divided not be brought into immediate operation. I missioners have taken months and months to Crimes Bill. into three qualities according to their respective age think the Government will have to qualify that draft what they have done, and you give us only somewhat and say that it is not to be brought a week in which to do what we want to do. into immediate operation if no ill effects are His Excellency-A motion has been made testing in order to find out their three respective found to result from the delay. Even the assem- for the postponement of the second reading bling of armed bands of smugglers has for a month, and an amendment has been The number of balls in one chest varies consider. not stopped, as I understand. There was moved for an adjournment till Friday next. ably in as much as one chest contains from 160 to over a band of 100 men with \$12,000 worth of I presume no one will object to the amendment.

200 balls. They are sold by the Foreign firms in the other day. If that goes on it will The un-official members expressed their dis-The Chinese dealers repack them and wrap them in be the duty of this Government, I think, sent.

paper parcels of 3 catties cach. For shipment in carrying out its engagement with the Chinese steamers to Shanghai, Swatow, Foochow, Hoihow, Government, to bring the Bill into force at once. oil do adjourn till Friday," and a division was Hon. P. Ryrie.—We have legislated against taken as follows:— The Cuter Justice—We cannot always find

Chuen, Fat Shan, and other places, they are either put in chests in 40 or 50 parcels or in mat bags in 5 or 10 parcels and so on. After leaving the waters of Hongkong then these Chinese craft first go to the Kap Shui Moon Pass station or the Cheung Chau the names of some of the hongs that fit them station for inspection and for the payment of the duty out, and I have no doubt they are amongst the day at 3 o'clock. before ther are supplied with receipts and clearance signatories to the petition. I think sufficient time has been given to get up all the argument

such a large retail trade, the arrangement pro- all vessels which are suspected, in order says, nobody after the first two nights was able ment raised a question with France about the Owners, will be RESPONSIBLE for all posed cannot interfere with that trade, for this to put a stop to smuggling, would require to catch that eat in time for the performance, rectification of the Basque frontier. Remember, DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews reason, that any dealer can easily dispose of one a very large preventive service. Of course although it habitually turned up at the wings to the Queen Regent is an Austrian Archduchess, chest at a time, although he may have to sell it to if he could do it with our consent it would see what its understudy made of the part, and would obey a hint from Vienna. Moreover, three or four or five or six customers. What be, much essier. And only think what a Another amusing reminiscence of the deceased it would suit the Spanish Regency very well in- Hongkong Harbour; he will have to do will be to take the chest relief this messure will give to shipping. If cat is that during the run of a nautical melodrams | deed to join in a war where victory was certain. | Centaue, Ger. bk., Christiansen.—Wieler over to Kowloon, pay the duty on it there, and it is impossible to buy a ball of opium in Hong- it calmly walked across the raging waves, as Against a Germano-Spanish-Italian, coalition then it will be packed up in such quantity as he kong, the ships that are molested, not only in though they had been merely painted on canvas. France could not stand." The same writer pro- Coloma, Amr. bk., Noyes.—Melchers & Co. Wishes. I think, when this Ordinance is put in China, but in Mavila, Saigon, Cochin- "Pickles" is supposed to have come by his death phesies "the blaze will probably begin by Monte. D. I. Tenney, Amr. ship, Wilson.—Wm. Legge. to operation, it will be found that what has been China, Siam, and even Singapore, will prosaid to day is merely apprehension, without any bably pass without any search at all. be, "Pickles" is greatly regretted by all who spread to Bosnia and Herzegovina. Austria will J. H. Bowers, Amr. bk., Plum.—Gonsalves & ecrite à l'administration, 9, Rue d'Argent, ground whatever. I think it will be found that I think, sir, if the debate is adjourned ever peformed at Drury Lane as a cat who could hit out hard, and Russis will make a dash at the Bill will work early, and carry out the inten- till Friday, it will give us another opportunity pick out a success from a failure, an actor from Galicia. She will, however, be confronted south. Mannegan, Brit. bk., Paulsen.—Ed. Schellhass Tour Abonne d'une année d dater du ler tions of its propose is, without in any way bring- of speaking on this Bill and hearing all that can an amsteur; and who would show his appreciation words by a coalition of the Balkan States and by & Co.

proposition of my hon, friend, and as it is my figures we had before us then. Possibly, in this late hour of the evening I will only add is perhaps advisable that I should state my reas the quantity which has been sent here. But, as Hon. A P. MACEWEN-I rise to order, sire sons for doing so. Funderstood when the Bill to the main question of the postponement of the The hon, member has already spoken once on

vantage this colony would derive. I then no our own interests. But that is not so, ninety-five sections relating to opium, where-

would be done by the opium farmer being able parties. It seems to me that unless the madinance here for prepared opium, nothing like to pay two or three lacs more than he does at jority of members of Council are prepared to so long as that at Singapore, but it contains all we consideration that what was gained in that way pressing smuggling by the Commissioners who provide anything more for prepared opium. Since might be more than lost by the disadvantages have been appointed to take charge of the the Bill has been introduced it has been pointed. this Colony would labour under. He then said stations, we are bound to give an answer to the out that there is no provision as to the sale of the opium farmers here were a very Chinese Government, and that at once. It seems damaged opium. That requires serious considera-

The COLONIAL TREASURER—To confine my

The CHIEF JUSTICE—Because the markets felf strictly to the question of the adjournment are flooded. Exactly the same thing has happen. I may be allowed to say to my hon. friend there is a possibility of this present stock of to California. Nor, if I am rightly informed, will versation he may have had with a member of

to the value of \$12,000, which was being place here? It is the talk of the town, and has derstand why there should always be escorted-across—the frontier, but with no come to my knowledge, as one of the public, that this delay. Now we find him in an entireintention of smaggling it. There was no ob. there was a leading firm here dealing in opium ly different position. He appears as the ject in smuggling it, as the lekin stations were which seemed to have got a hint of what was to take advocate, I might almost say the apostle, good papers received yesterday:at that time there. With regard to the statement place before any one else, and, to the surprise of of delay. This is a case in which the THE SALE OF NAVAL DESIGNS FROM CHATHAM of my hon, friend, that the Additional Article to the others, bought largely and sent their opium to Government must make up its mind and act at the Chefoo Convention dooms the retail trade in the different Treaty ports, paying the ordinary once. And, although I for one am sorry to see

gle." But how can that be the case, when they introduce the arrangement agreed to in the Ad- to differ from the learned Chief Justice. His in-

myself saw them packing it in the street. When opium at high prices were anxious to get the Bill I spoke about it-Mr. Justice Russell happened postponed in order to enable them to get rid of

The CHIEF JUSTICE—I did not say so. Hon. C. P. CHATER—I will put it in another

The CHIEF JUSTICE—I said it was an inference which might be drawn. It appears the fereign merchants did not know ponement is asked for. It is simply to give them standing. time to elaborate another scheme; to put sent to India, and run up the price of opium to a | before your Excellency, which will 'probably atvery large extent, and they bought at high prices. tain the same end as the present Bill. without put thereon by the vendor. When it has reached its That opium is now on their hands. What inferenced the injurious consequences of the present sort when we see delay being asked for, when it is the reason the postponement is asked for. ian were so few, and of such secondary importis asked the Bill may be suspended for a month? This Bill has probably taken several months in lance, that he was unable to understand why an What inference would one naturally draw from preparation. We ask only for one month. I agreement had not yet been effected between the

> The un-official members expressed their dis-The question was then put "That the Coun-Against.

Hon. C. P. Chater Hon. Wong Shing Hon. Capt. Thomsett Hon. A. P. MacEwen Surveyor-General Hon. J. Bell Irving Hon. P. Ryrie Attorney-General Colonial Secretary

Chief Janties. The Council accordingly adjourned till

> POLICE COURT. 30th March. BEFORE ME. E. MACKHAN.

LARCENY BY A BOLDIER. Richard Sudley, 20, private of the 58th Regi- sengers, and great damage to rolling stock. The

Defendant was fined \$5. 🛰 DISORDERLY SEAMEN. John Lukman, 23, and Lewis Rares, 30, seamen.

THUR GRAVING DOOK.

A correspondent, who visited the Hammersmith Iron Works in December last inspected on the occasion on large installation of pumping New Malwa.... machinery for the Chinese Government. The graving dock now being constructed by the Chinese Government at Port Arthur, and to Older Malwa drive the shipbuilding and engineering tools-in dook. The pumping goar consists of two large Benares (Now) 4821 pumps and one small, all of the "Invincible type. .. Each big pump will raise 90 tons of water per minute, the little one 12 tons. The dock is On LONDON.arge and the lift high, there being 40 feet of water on the floor whou the dock is filled at high

The three pumps are fixed to wrought-iron foundations in the bottom of a large wroughtiron tank or caisson, forming a watertight lining to the chamber, which is sunk below the ground level to receive the pumps. All the ongines are compound and surface condensing. Two engines, duplicates, drive the two large pumps, and, as already stated, the workshop tools; each | On New York .engine will indicate 250 h.p.

The third engine is intended to drive the small pump only. A large surface condenser is common to all the engines, the circulation of salt water being effected by a pair of small indepen lent "Invincible" pumping engines, in the manner introduced by J. and H. Gwynne to the mercantile marine, and now universally adopted by unirine engineers. The pipe arrangements On are very complete, and carefully worked out to enable the engines to work together or independently, condensing or non-condensing, and so on. The feed apparatus for the boilers is also elaborate; pumps on the main engines, donkey engines, injectors, and a hand pump are furnished. Steam, at 90 lbs. pressure, is provided by a group of five boilers, three of sectional water ery fine one, weighs over 160 tons, and has been completed by J. and H. Gwynne in less than

and patterns almost throughout. During construction the work has been supervised by Mr. Adam Miller, C.E. This order was very near going to Germany -one trifling obstacle stood in the way of our rivals. They would have required something like twelve months for executing the work, which Mr. John Gwynne finished off under four. We must not be hard on them for this. They would have had to have copied his designs, and that takes time. Besides, designs are fleeting, and Mr. John Gwynne has a knack of introducing improvements as be goes along, which of course cannot be easily-copied until they are seen .-

LATE TELEGRAMS.

Shanghai Courier.

The following telegrams are taken from Ran-

DOCKYARD. LONDON, 12th March. denied that the designs sold by the Chief Draughtsman of Chatham Dockyard had been purchased by the United States, and he declined to state who had purchased them.

THE GOVERNMENT LAND BILL. In the House of Commons last night, Mr. W. H. Smith, in reply to a question, said that Government will submit their Irish Land Bill to Parliament during the present Session.

VISIT OF THE QUEEN TO THE SOUTH OF. Her Majesty the Queen starts for Cannes or the 29th instant and will stay there a few days. From Cannes Her Majesty will go to Aix-les-

MORE EARTHQUAKES IN SOUTHERN EUROPE Slight shocks of earthquake were felt at Cannes and Nice yesterday. M. DE LESSEPS IN BERLIN.

BERLIN, 11th March. M. De Lessons, who has arrived here, mot with Hon. C. P. CHATER-I can assure your Ex. I a most flattering reception at court to-day. This cellency that is not the reason why the post- is regarded as heralding a Franco-German under-

MB. CHAMBERDAIN AND THE SEPARATISTS. LONDON, 13th March. vesterday, said that the points of discord be-

BAPID EXTENSION OF BOMBAY.

Bombay, 11th March. Bombay is extending so rapidly that great difficulty is experienced in obtaining building sites and rents are consequently increasing enormous y. Government has come to the rescue and has appointed a Committee to draw up a comprehensive scheme for the disposal of lands, dealing with the future extension of the city in the interests of the health and comfort of the resident population, and of the increasing mills and industries VICTORY OVER BURMESE DACOITS.

MANDALAY, 12th March. On the 9th instant, Captain Golightly, in command of a column of Mounted Infantry and Police, surprised Bo Shoay and his gang near Sidotia. The enemy occupied a strong position. from which they opened a heavy fire on our troops. They were taken in the flank, however, Man and soon dislodged, with the loss of 22 men killed and many others wounded. Be Shoay made his Am escape. Our only essaulty was one private the wounded.

SERIOUS RAILWAY COLLISIONS IN INDIA. Bombay, 12th March. Two serious collisions have occurred on the Great Indian Peninsular Railway, resulting in the death of the driver, injuries to several pasdriver of one of them was killed on the spot; the It appeared from the evidence, that certain others narrowly escaped with their lives, by The second collision occurred between the Jublatter train was very severely injured, and his redespatches, and the Bengal and Burmah English letters was delayed, and did not reach Bombay till this evening. The mail steamer was detained

SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST A POLITICAL - AGENT IN INDIA. The Indian Government have found Mr Wilson, Political Agent at Cambay, guilty of the charges preferred against him by the every allowance for the circumstance that Mr. Wilson was on the eve of being trans-I believe, do a great deal of damage if carried. sent down on behalf of the Legation, that is, A mournful procession, headed by the fireman ferred to another district, and that therefore his The ACTING ATTORNEY-G NEBAL-The the Diplomatic Service, it was thought it would of the theatre, crossed the stage of "Old Drury" official relations with the Dewan were, tempor-

been depicted to us to day.

| Composition of things who had signed by attending their rehearsals, and studiously there is now no longer any doubt. Sir W. White Printzenburg, Ger. bark, Schonemann.—et à titre de prime, le journal jusqu'au debut de letters.

| Composition of things who had single of those pieces and performers he approved of Turkey. O The CHIEF JUSTICE-I would ask your Ex- true to say no one-was consulted outside. I avoiding those of people he had found wanting. | at Constantinople has put that matter straight."

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. WEDNESDAY, 30th March.

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THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, with the American mail of the 5th March, leaves Yokobama on the 31st March, and may be expected here on or about the 6th April,

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Bellerophon left [562] Singapore on the 25th, and is due here on the

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LOCAL DELIVERY-No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The Postal Guide for 1886, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory. p. 385 large edition, p. 701 small edition. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice, each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Killarney, to-day, the 31st inst., at 7.30 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Palinurus, to-day, the 31st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai.-Per Peking, to-day, the 31st inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon.—Per Vortigern, to-day, the 31st inst., at 4.30 h.m. For Straits Settlements .- Per Glenlyon, on

Monday, the 4th April, at 11.00 A.M. For Nacasaki, Koba, and Yokohama.-Per Thibet, on Thursday, the 7th April, at 5.00 P.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Bayern will be despatched on MONDAY, the 18th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, &c., &c.

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Noon.-Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.-Mails closed, except for Late Letters. '3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until BANKING CORPORATION. Possession from 1st | 3.30 p.m.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. (1.) Privates in H. M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers,* Bandmasters, Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) Writers, or School-mistres es may send half-SHING, ounce letters to the United Kingdom by the English Mail at the rate of two cents (one

penny) each, or by the French Mail at the rate of four cents (two pence) each. The postage must be prepaid in Hongkong Stamps. (2.) To other places not beyond Great Britain, such as India, Malta, &c., the postage is 2 cents one penny).
(3.) The same privileges apply to letters addressed to the Private and Non-commissioned Officers named above. (4.) The letters must not exceed half an ounce

No handkerchiefs, jewellery, &c., can be sent even with the ends open. (5.)—If from a Soldier or Sailor his class and description must be stated in full on the letter the cover of which must be signed by the Commanding Officer, with name of regiment, ship, &c. in full. If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and description with name of regiment, ship, &c., must

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and Morley are tending toward an agreement the members of the Ministry who are now on the land bill on the basis of Chamberlain's stumping the country have been recalled by former proposals to limit the operations of the Premier by telegraph, and are expected the bill to the purchase of smaller holdings, to arrive here to-morrw. thus reducing the total capital guaranteed by the Imperial Exchequer to £25,000,000. special of January 8th says: M. Rochefort Differences as to the functions and powers harls vitriol this week in about equal proposed by the Irish Parliament continue.

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dulph Churchill's resignation was justifiable before the people have had time to test its and adds: 'I myself favor more economy in merits. the army and many expenditures."

Northente, son of Lord Iddesleigh, has, contrary to expectation, resigned the office of Surveyor General of Ordnance.

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raise a fund to commemorate the Queen's Jubilec.

to be held to-day, on the occasion of the stone will refuse to compromise by sacrificing valence of fever. The camp of the native threatened wholesale exictions at Roslea, any material point. there was a collision between a crowd of New York, January 10th.—The Work's The Prince himself and forty followers were about 4,000 persons who were waiting to Washington correspondent has been inter-killed. clergyman who was present, while strongly the Russian Minister, was reserved, but a remained an hour encouraging the firemen. protesting against the action of the police, secretary said the belief at the legation-was London, January 2nd .- A disastrous fire persuaded the people to return to their homes. in favor of peace. The Swedish and French has occurred on Wood street, London, affect-The evictions were postponed.

Madrid, January 10th .- For several hours Minister was noncommittal. on Saturday the city was excited over sen- Berlin, January 8th.—Printed copies of the loss at present. sational reports that the Infanta Isabella, the amended Army bill will be distribthe Infanta into a ditch. She was not hurt, to the passage of the bill, and there are gian Embassy at Vienna. seend of the accident until assistance would accept an amendment limiting the the Government of Kiel, Russia. could be procured, and for this a lackey operations of the bill to five years, but he will New York, January 2ud .- The Herald meeting dispersed quietly. was dispatched. Much time was lost in all certainly reject any proposal for a term of says: R. T. Bush, owner of the keel- Edinburgh, January 7th.—The Marquis gone on a great distance before they Reichstag if that body persists in thus amend- New York Yacht Club, calls upon the Ho has not lived with his wife for twelve missed their royal mistress, and when ing the bill. The Government relies upon owners of all American-built vessels of the years. Shortly after they began to live a general alarm and began a noisy search. one of the results of an election would probate to exceed \$10,000 and the start to be made alar inmate of the establishment. His con-The prolonged absence of the Infanta from bly a reduction in their numbers. the castle caused uneasiness there, and finally the police and troops were sent out in search of her.

discredited here.

stinate, will not sanction a term longer than or discuss what finance resources the Gov-

accepted and the place filled probably with message to the Queen.

New York, January 9th .- The Times' Paris parts at the Prince of Wales for buying the finds many bitter things to say about colect-Gladstone writes saying that Lord Ran-ling big sams for the glorification of a theory

New York, January 10th,-The Star's London, January 11th .- Honry Stafford London special of January 9th says: It is unofficially stated to-night at the Carlton that Lord Salisbury offered the privy seal to Lord Iddlesleigh, in consideration of his focated, while the number injured resignation of the Foreign Office. It has placed at the same figures. The Com-

As an entrome of the prohibition of the ference with the result that both parties to- be compelled to leave the ruby mines, in connationalist meeting which was announced night express themselves satisfied that Glad-sequence of the scarcity of water and pre-

Ministers look for peace. The Belgian ing the property of twenty firms. The dam-

of profound peace; that she was in alli-throughout the world. Paris, January 10th.-La France declares ance with Austria and Russia, while she Lord Alfred Paget, Commodore of the that it: has authentic information that Ger- was menaced nowhere. General Von Royal Thames Yacht Club, tells the World's had not had reason to expect that the bably be around Ireland.

ernment relied on to cover the extra ex-

which are calculated to peacefully solve the are as proof that Hartington's influence Bulgarian difficulty. Prince Alexander of

House of Commons. Lord Salisbury's sup-next year's estimates, now being prepared, W. hours' private, audience with his Majesty, declare that if such is Gladstone's intention porters state that they are glad to get rid of A. McLellan, Minister of Finance, after the The Sultan expressed his gratification at the he will lose the support of the Parnellites and Lord Iddesleigh, as "His health was of no Cabinet meeting yesterday, handed Sir appointment of Sir William as Embassador never again be Prime Minister. John his resignation. This is likely to be and intrusted him with a cordial New Year's London, January 7th .- It is reported that

ceived a communication from France pro- Ministers will kiss the Queen's hand. posing to maintain good relations on the London, January 7th .- The Vatican has at length to France.

Peoples' Park as the annual fair was being the Prince. held. A panic ensued and it is reported that several hundred people were burned or crushed to death.

served inclosure at the People's Park on a proper organization for Catholics to join. Friday lasted only fifteen minutes. It is mander-in-Chief and the First Prince of Fravancore, who were present, escaped unmissing. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

Mandalay, January 3rd.—The Burmese The Protestant churches in Ireland will resignation of Lord Randolph Churchill. has been issued ordering all the inhabi-Mutual friends of Gladstone and Paruellitants to surrender their arms within five have met and discussed the Chamberlain con- days. It is expected that the troops will Prince has been surprised by British troops.

this. In the mean time the huntsmen had three years and will immediately dissolve the schooner Coronet and a member of the of Queensberry is being sued for divorce. they discovered she was no longer with fears of dissolution influencing the members keel type to join him in a race from Sandy apart the Marquis admitted another them they become greatly frightened, started of the Center and Progressionist parties, as Hook to Queenstown, the entrance fee not woman into his house, who became a regabout the middle of May. This will give nection with this woman is made the basis The temper displayed by the Clerical all yachtsmen who desire to enter for the of the suit. Neither the woman nor the members of the Commission toward the Royal Thames prize plenty of time to ar- Marquis will deny the charge of adultery close of the debate showed no symptoms rive at the starting point, and an opportu-which the Marchioness makes against her London, January 11th .- The Telegraph of dread of the dissolution of Parliament, nity for sailing masters to put their craft in husband. The case will be tried in Edinlays stress upon the many rumors of war now Herr Windthorst, the Clerical leader, had shape. It is more than twenty years since burgh, because the Scotch law grants the current and affirms that Russia is trying to a sharp interchange of words with Gon-the Fleetwing, Vesta and Henrielta raced wife a divorce for adultery alone. force a Franco-German conflict, in order to eral Von Schilendorf on a remark of the ocean for \$90,000. Another big enable her to carry out her own Eastern former, that Germany was living in a state race of the kind would excite Americans

many, Italy and Spain have formed an alliance Schilendorf declared that as War Minis London correspondent that while no formal against France and that ex-Marshal Bazaine ter he had nothing to do with political challenge for an international race has been been on a strike at Pontipool, have arranged in among the prime movers. The story is considerations, adding that the Government issued, one may be, and the course will pro-terms with the masters, and will resume

London, January 10th.—The composition of the new Cabinet was announced this evening. Lord Salisbury is Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the Right Hon. C. J. Goschen, Chancellor years term, conceding nothing to the Exchequer; the Right Hon. Edward Standard of the Gladstonites is Lord Edmunds beyond what the Commission recombiling to the oppose the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 8th.—The Star's London of the Septemate. New York, January 7th says: Goschen don special of January 7th says: Goschen the was confident that the Reichstag would finish by voting for it again.

Herr Windthorst responded angrily that the Exchange Division, formerly represent the Reichstag would make no concessions beyond what the Commission recombined with the Exchange Division of the Exchange Division, formerly represent the Reichstag would make no concessions beyond what the Commission recombined with the Reichstag would not be seven the Septemate.

Herr Windthorst responded angrily that the Exchange Division of the Exchange Di Edmunds, if he goes to the polls against Gosbut the United vote failed to secure the raturn of the Conservative candidate, Carleton. The Tories claim to have defeated the appointment of Earl Carnavon to the Colonial Office.

Lord Hartington's failure to create a London, January 8th.—It is stated that coalition Cabinet is now admitted by the the Russian Government has made proposals Unionists. The Liberals regard the failover the dissident Liberals is waning. Battenburg will start for Egypt in a fortnight. The opinion of growing that when Parlia-Paris, January 8th .- The Bulgarian dele-ment meets the only Unionists found in

The Nationalists discredit the reports that Gladstone is willing, in order to con-Constantinople, January 8th.—At the Sul-ciliate Hartington and Chamberlain, to re-

Sir Henry Holland has been appointed Sir Charles Tupper, present Canadian High Copenhagen, January 8th .- The Danish Secretary to the Colonies. The Cabinet Commissioner in London, who sails for Folkething (lower house of Parliament) has Conneil convened for to-morrow has been Canada to-morrow. Dissolution was agreed been dissolved, owing to its refusal to agree further postponed. Lord Salisbury inupon at the Cabinet meeting yesterday, to the Government's financial proposals and formed the Queen that he hopes the Cabibut the date for the elections has not yet army estimates. Elections for the new Folke- net will be completed by Tuesday. The The megatiations between Chamberlain been fixed and will not be until Tuesday. All thing will take place January 28th. Privy Council has been called to meet at Rome, January 8th.—The Vatican has re-Osborne on Wednesday, when the new

basis of a concordat liberally interpreted, made an arrangement with the Prince of The Vatican does not approve the proposals Monaco by which, in the event of an outand will soon explain its views formally and break of war, involving Italy, the Pope, with his ministers and prefects of congre-Lord Randolph Churchill, replying to saddle and stirrups Archer used when he Paris, January 8th.—The Française says gation, will remove their residence to the Holy see in its dealings with the Catholic world. A special clause of the conventhe gaming tables. It is expected that adequate compensation for the loss of revenue Madras, December 31st.—Fire broke out thus involved will be afforded by crowds of to-day in the reserved enclosure at the visitors to the Pope or by an indemnity to

Rome, January 7th.—Bishop Patterson of the Roman Catholic diocese of Columbus, O., has arrived here. The Vatican is debating Madras, January 2nd.—The fire in the re- whother the Knights of Labor of America is

The Papal Consistory has again been postnow ascertained that 300 persons lost their poned, this time till the early part of March, lives, being either burned to death or suf- when the new foreign Cardinals will receive is their hats.

Rome, January 8th .- The Pope will present \$100,000 to the congregation de Propaganda fide on the occasion of the coming

Washington, January 7th.-Consul Figy-

elmesy, writing from Demerara under date December 9th, says there is a great development in gold mining in British Guiana, but no quartz nor gold-bearing ledges weakening of the Government by the tude toward the British. A proclamation have yet been discovered. All the gold up to the present time has been found in the rivers and creeks by washing. About 3,000 people mostly colored and inexperienced, are in the interior of the colony prospecting. The climate is very unhealthy, especially so to the whites. The Consul mentions two Californians who have been very successful in their operations, but fails to give their names. He receive Dillon and a force of police and viewing foreign diplomats at the Capital on Rome, January 2nd .- A fire occurred to says that \$16,000 in gold was exported to drafted village peasants, the latter of whom the question of war in Europe. The British day in the Odescalchi. The Majolica collec- England in 1885. Last year the exportawere armed with sticks. The police used Minister is confident that peace will prevail, tion and valuable pictures in the palace were tions were increased to \$350,000, and he their batons freely and succeeded in disper-The Austrian Charge d'Affaires also believes seriously damaged. King Humbert, perceiv-thinks that this year's exportations will reach sing the crowd. Dillon and a Catholic that peace will prevail. Baron de Strave, ing the flames, hastened to the scene and probably \$2,060,000. He says the new industry promises to be a good one.

London, January 7th.—The West End had another labor scare to-day. Crowds of nuemployed workingmen assembled in front ago is enormous. It is imposible to estimate of the offices of the Local Government Board and demanded relief. Ritchie, Pros-London, January 2nd.—The British steamer sident of the board, received a deputation sister of the late King Alfonso, had been uted in the Reichstag on Monday. The Dragoman, from Savannah, December 12th from the crowd outside, but said he could kidnapped or killed. The Infanta had debate on the second reading of the meas- for Liverpool, came in collision with and sunk promise nothing. When the crowd were gone out in a carriage to follow the royal ure on Tuesday promises to be a stormy an unknown vessel off Birdseye. Fourteen apprised of this they hooted the Government in the Praedo. She occupied one. Prince Biamarck has announced his persons were drowned.

her carriage alone and was escorted by intention of remaining in Berlin until the St. Petersburg, January 2nd.—General where an indignation meeting was held three aids. In a remote part of the great fate of the bill shall have been decided. In Gouleff has been appointed to succeed Gene- and resolutions adopted protesting against park the carriage broke down, throwing Government circles less confidence is felt as ral Kaulbars as military attache to the Rus- the apathy of the Government. Many of the residents and shopkcopers in the vicinity although it was feared she was, and it was indications that Prince Bismarck is open Vienna, January 2nd .- It is reported here of Trafalgar square, fearing an outbreak or deemed prudent for her to remain at the to a compromise. It is believed that he that 15,000 Jews have been expelled from renewal of the socialistic riots, closed their shutters and barred their doors, but the

London, January 7th.—The Dake of Bedford has remitted the whole amount of routs to the tenants on his Bedfordshire estates for the current half year.

One thousand tin-plate workers, who have lwork on Monday.

London, January 7th,-The Bulgarian del- ${f R}$ ussia.

tends to return to Bulgaria.

Ottawa (Ont.), January 7th.—It is stated that a very pressing invitation has been sent from Rideau Hall to President and Mrs. Cabinet to become guests of the Governor-General at Montreal during the carnival.

Berne, January 7th.—Numerous avalanches have occurred in the cantons of Lucerne. Schuztz and Uri. Several villages have been completely cut off from communication with the outer world, a number of houses destroyed and many cattle killed.

Sydney (N. S. W.), January 7th .- Four of the boys condemned recently for outrageous assault upon a servant girl were hanged here yesterday. Two others who were to have been executed were reprieved.

Madras, January 7th.—It is officially stated that 405 persons were burned to death in the incendiary fire which destroyed the reserved inclosure in the People's Park-Inst week.

Tunis, January 7th .- The village of Djemel was severely shaken by an earthquake to-day. A number of houses fell. Seven persons were killed and many hurt.

St. Petersburg, January 7th.-The Govornment has suppressed he Russkoie Delio for publishing an article violently attacking

Lima, January 9th.—In consequence of the closing of Peruvian ports against vessels from Chile the wheat supply from that country has ceased, and in order to meet the demand for wheat the municipality has been authorized to take steps to have the necessary supply brought from California.

William Walter Phelps has received a dis- vessels. The license will be charged, as for- and is known on the stage as Blande. patch from his son, John J. Phelps, merly, upon tounage of the vessels. commanding the schooner yacht Brun- New York, January 6th .- The Tribune's patch to the Leader from Tiffin, O., says: at Valparaiso, direct from the Society correspondent of the Telegraph says: The chronicled occurred near Republic, about ment has been very similar to the case. islands. The Brunhilde started from New New Years' Day peace assurances appear eight miles east of here, at 2 o'clock this Brunhilde.

special from London of January 6th says: Austrian frontier, to be commenced at once. termined that, insemuch as he had half an and the cancer began to develop last programme has paralyzed his action and The Russian press is unanimous in represent- he pulled out the night was hitterly cold sicians that there was no hope. Mr. Roach brought about a deadlock. Churchill is gain- ing it as involving casus belli. instrength here every hour. The crisis is acute New York, January 6th .- The Tribune's keeping up steam in the engine. Finally, relieved only by anodynes." and no one can foresee the result. Gladstone cable special from Dublin of January 5th at a point half a mile west of Republic, is described by friends fresh from talking says: With reference to the projected con- the train came to a standstill, being un- John Roach's serious illness, a representconference for a reunion of the Liberal party, to say is this. That Gladstone enters this many lives and the destruction of thousands belief in General Grants case that the canbut is still firm for home rule. The Parnellites conference with the full knowledge that any of dollars' worth of property. Although the cer was produced by an excessive use of are actively preparing for the dissolution of retreat from the principle of his bill, namely, conductor must have known that he was tobacco, though this was denied by medical Parliament.

Colonial Secretary.

make no further effort to complete his good grace, the conference will prove to him lightning speed of sixty-three miles per liamentary seat in that city, and it is than ever. thought that he will consent to do so."

tenant.

of the dissedent Liberals. According to the Secretary and General Buller for their policy himself. The latter was engaged in stok-Standard, he is willing to confine the powers of mitigating the rapacity of evicting ing the fire, and raised up and hesitated a of the proposed Irish legislative body to landlords by withholding the aid of the moment to glance forward, as if to esti-

against the Government for its conduct ter by whom given. The doings of the worst engines of the two trains reared into the air toward the Woodford tenants who were days of Irish jury-packing have been sur- and then settled down upon the track, driving yesterday sentenced to long terms of im- passed during the present assizes in Sligo. into each other until the cylinders touched. prisonment for resisting evictions.

New York, January 6th .- The Post's London special says: An extraordinary state of affairs in the English Foreign Office has just come to light. A short time ago a formal treaty between Russia and Turkey was on the point of being signed. This threw the Government here into state of great alarm, the assistance of Turkey being essential to the Anglo-Austrian alliance, which was the key note of Salisbury's policy. To this feeling the Morning Post gave expression a fortnight Radical section. Thus in any case the ele- were powerless to rescue the sufferers. The recovered. ago, but no one paid any attention to it. "The time has arrived," says that journal, ground. "for warning Turkey against any further pursuance of a policy which might necessitate vigorous and immediate action on our part." The warning passed later on into a menace. Turkey was told that unless she was off with Russia immediately the English Government would unmistakably be compelled to take resolute measures which would speedily impress on her the fact that her present policy was most pernicious to her real interests in Europe and the East. These measures, it was significantly added, would be totally irrespective of the fate of the Ottoman Empire. In consequence of these threats months. of war, Rushim Pasha, the Turkish Embassador at London, was instructed to ask Lansdowne has declined to become a mem- States Grand Jury to Brooklyn has indicted territory. Lord Iddesleigh for an explanation and disavowal. Iddesleigh's reply, published this morning, says that although the Morn- Washington special says: Captain C. A. ing Post is not the Government organ and Bushnell, who secured for Ericsson the conviction here he will be taken to San is free to says what it likes it has expressed contract for the first monitor during the Francisco for trial. the views of the Government on this war, has been in Washington several days point, and he believes of the English for the purpose of presenting the merits been received in this city this morning nation also. Gadban Pasha, who is at of the great inventor's latest discovery in from Westminster, Frederick, Emmets-Sophia arranging with Russis, will be in the way of a marine engine of destruction. burg and other towns in Western Maryconsequence immediately recalled by the The Captain, will ask the committee land, stating that the inhabitants are con- English adventuress, who was recently ar-Porte. It is learned from private sources to authorize the building of ten of siderably excited over violent shocks and rested here for swindling by means of entirely trustworthy that the bombardment these vessels. He wants the committee loud rumblings which awakened them matrimonial advertisements, attempted to of Constantinople was actually threatened by to act at once so that they can have the from sleep and continued at intervals from commit suicide in prison to-day by open-Lord Iddesleigh as the result of the Turkish benefit of Ericson's personal supervision. 11:30 oclock last night till early this morn- ing a vein with a piece of glass which she alliance with Russia.

Prince Alexander of Battenberg authorizes to discover the cause of the brute's evi- navy, within fifteen minutes. order to put an and to the rumors that he in- peared suddenly to go mad. The keeper was held here to-day, and in view of the below zero this morning. tried to escape, but before he could reach fact that the price of raw silk had recently the door of the cage the animal attacked advanced \$1 per pound, with the probahim furiously. The other assistants rushed bilities in favor of the advance remaining to the rescue and endeavored to beat back permanent, it was resolved to advance the finally successful, but when they drew their to take effect on February 1st. The sewcomrade from the cage life was extinct.

of Commerce, announces that a wheat of Its annual product of 1886 is put at \$60,000,from the Caucasus. Large cargoes of this in all its branches, will be affected in the wheat, M. Lockroy says, have been sent to action taken to-day. Odessa across the Black sea from the ports | New York, January 5th.—The Sun says: and the English channel.

discontent of French merchants, the Govern- sleep. He also suffers considerable pain. ment has ordered, its agents in Egypt to is possible that he may live for a month, but difficulties in the way of Frenchmen compe- is not hastened by another homorrhage. ting successfully for public contracts.

tons over that of the preceding year.

to the Advertiser says that the fishery ter. The only witness was Miss Rose Leightrouble and the recent elections have tend- ton, of the Bijon Opera-House, a consin States makes some overtures looking married Clarence Livingstone in 1876, but pute, the Canadian Government will go back Christmas obtained a divorce in San Francisco. New York, January 6th.—Congressman to the old system of licensing foreign fishing Blood is a consin of Endy Colin Campbell

Gladstone's diplomacy throughout the Cham- into express.

has decided not to accept a position in the ed of Engine 726, a mail and baggage car, Cabinet. He has written to Goschen regret- the express, smoker, a coach and two ting his inability to join the Ministry in view sleepers. The freight train was in charge of the Conservative discontent and the of Conductor Fletcher, Engineer Kiler and doubtful nature of the agreement with Lord W. J. Collison, fireman, and consisted of Saliebury.

were arrested last August at the time Father twelve to fifteen passengers, some of whom Eahey was taken into custody for resisting were immigrants. Three men escaped alive, Court deferred sentence. the collection of rent and evictions on the but their names were not learned. Baggage-Clamicarde estates, at Woodford, County master W. F. Gates of Newark was the only Galway, were to-day sentenced to terms of man in his car, and he was hurt in both legs,

ber of Salisbury's Cabinet.

New York, January 6th.—The World's born, for fraudulently obtaining a pension They can be built at a cost of \$200,000 ling. No damage has been done as far had broken from the window of her cell.

ing-silk and twist trade has in all a capital Paris, January 6th.—M. Lockroy, Minister invested in manufactories of \$30,000,000. been exported for the first time by Russia some 50,000 operatives. The whole silk trade,

of Poti and Batoum, destined for the Adriatic Lately John Roach has been troubled with sleeplessnes, and Dr. Belden has given him In consequence of the repeatedly expressed hyperdermic injections of morphine to induce and endeavor to decrease to a minimum the will reach its climax in two weeks, even if it

New York, January 5th .- At the City Hall Melbourne, January 6th.—The wheat har- yesterday afternoon, Beekman, President vest in Victoria is 12,000,000 bushels, an of the Board of Alderman and acting average of twelve bushels per acre. The Mayor, united in marriage Eleanor Carey exportable excess is 150,000 tons, or 60,000 and William Findalter Blood, a member of the Tangled Lives Company Boston, January 6th.—An Ottawa special now playing at the Fifth-Avenue Theaed to bring about a Cabinet break-up, of Miss Carey. The other members of the and that Hon. John Costigan, Minister of company received the first definite infor-International Revenue, and Hon. Mr. Fos- mation when the play began on the eventer, Minister of Fisheries, will probably ing. Miss Carey played some years ago on resign. It is said that unless the United the Pacific coast, and also last summer. She toward a settlement of the fisheries dis- separated from him in two years, and on

Cleveland, January 4th.—A special disamounting his safe arrival London cable special says: The Vienna One of the most horrible accidents ever disease is epithelioma, and its develop-York a year ago last summer on a voyage to have fallen very flat on the European morning. At 1 o'clock an east-bound being the roof of the mouth instead of around the world. She will sail loisurely financial markets and upon public freight train, in charge of Conductor the threat. All efforts to arrest its down the coast and around Cape Horn and opinion generally. The fact is that such Fletcher, pulled out of this city, having reach home next summer. Young Phelps half-hearted manifestations could deceive received orders to side-track at Scipiowants, a few years hence, to go by steam only those enthusiastically inclined or whose siding, to allow the east-bound express to He has never seen a well day since the over the same route he has just sailed in the information was at fault. Intelligence comes pass. After the passenger train had gone, from Warsaw that the Russian War Office the conductor being without special or-New York, January 7th.—The Star's cable has decided to construct more forts on the ders, exercised his own judgment and de-Lord Salisbury may end the political crisis Meanwhile, the Bulgarian difficulty is making hour to spare, to make the switch at Repub. January. In March an operation was perat any moment by sending in his resigna- no progress; at least not in the direction of a lic, little less than five miles distant, before formed, in the hope that the disease might tion to the Queon. The unrelenting op- settlement. The mooted return of Alexander the arrival of the fast express from the be endicated. In the summer the trouble position of the Carlton Tories to his has made a profound impression in Russia, east, due at that point at 2 o'clock. - When returned and it became evident to his phyand much difficulty was experienced in is now failing gradually, his agony being with him to be keenly watching the crisis. ference between the Gladstone Liberals and able to move further. Just here was made ative of the family said to a Tribune re-He speaks hopefully of the results of the Chamberlain what the Irish party has the mistake which resulted in the loss of porter last night. "It was the common an Irish Parliament, with an Irish Executive encroaching dangerously near the time of the men, and the disease was attributed by them London, January 6th.—Hon. Edward Stan- proceeding therefrom and responsible only express, he did not send out a signal until to the nervous shock produced by the Grant hope, present Colonial Secretary, has accept- to that Parliament, will mean an immediate after his train had come to a standstill and he & Ward failure. This theory is borne out in ed the office of Secretary for War. Lord and absolute repture with the Irish Na- found it impossible to move further. He Roach's case. Reach is a man thoroughly of Iddesleigh has not yet decided to accept tionalists, but Gladstone has no such in then started forward with a lantern himself. | temperate habits and never used tobacco in the suggestion to relinquish the Foreign tention. The fact is this conference is At this point there is a sharp curve, and any form, and the disease cannot be attributed Secretaryship in favor of Lord Salisbury, merely a device to provide a bealing plaster Conductor Fletcher had not proceeded to any other cause than the shock produced If Lord Iddesleigh decides to resign office for Chamberlain's wounded vanity and to more than the length of twenty cars when by his assignment." he will probably take Stanhops's place as soften his fall if he means to go back into he saw the headlight of the approaching his place in the Liberal fold. Furthermore, if express rounding the curve not more than It is expected that Lord Salisbury will be does not mean to eat humble pie with forty rods distant and running at the Cabinet with whips, but will fill the van a fatal trap, for after entering into these hour. Horror stricken with the knowcant offices with Conservatives. The Con- negotiations, and receiving this condescension ledge that a frightful accident could not be vited Goschen to contest the vacant Par- will go back to the country more damaged the engineer, Lem Eastman. The latter at the same moment saw the lights of the To-day Ireland is ringing with the out- freight engine, and giving a wild shrink T. P. O'Connor, presiding at a home-rule rage in which the saturnalia of jury-pack- of the whistle for down brake, he reversed demonstration at Bradford to-day, advocated ing in Sligo has culminated. The mon- his engine and jumped for his life, grashand advised the appointment of a judge to tenants for the crime of defending their ing the glass and sash with him, and act as a medium between landlord and homes and the infamously partisan speech alighting in a heavy snow drift. He esof Judge Palles have excited the people caped serious injury, his hurts being confined tions and for ordering them to remain instant the crash came, and poor Freder-Dublin, January 6th.—The Express (Tory) passive while bailiffs executed the writs, icks was pinned and crushed by a mass of

> ments of dissolution are steadily gaining express train was in charge of Conductor Tom Haskell, Engineer Lem Eastman and London, January 5th.-Lord Northbrooke Willian Fredericks, fireman, and consist-Engine 925 and sixteen loaded and a few Charles Ogden Ferris, alias Sir Roger Tichfrom the Government. Should be escape

> > Baltimore, January 8rd.—Dispatches have

Paris, January 6th.—An exciting incident cach. This number will be sufficient to as can be learned, but as the country is egates have expressed a willingness to ac- occurred at the Paris Zoological Gardens protect the entire eastern coast against the mountainous they people are apprehencept the rule of Duke Lichtenberg, the to-day, resulting in the death of one of foreign navies of the world. Captain Bushnell sive of grave troubles. Congressman Shaw, latest candidate proposed for the Bulgarian the keepers. A hippopotamus was ob- says he is perfectly confident that a vessel who lives at Westminster, says he was throne, who it is rumored is favored by served to be acting in an unusual manner, like the Destroyer could sink the Invincible, awakend by what sounded like the blastand a keeper entered the cage to endeavor the most formidable vessel of the British ing of rocks and pictures were shaken from the walls in other places. He heard the announcement that he is about to make a dent uneasinesss. He had been in the cage | New York, January 5th.—A meeting of two distinct shocks in rapid succession. The prolonged stone of Egypt and the East, in but a moment or two when the animal ap- the sewing-silk and machine-twist trade mercury at Westminster was four degrees

Chicago, January 4th. - The Times'

Washington special of January 3d says: Whatever danger there was some time ago that the Treasury supply of gold would give Cleveland and members of the United States the infuriated brute. Their efforts were price of manufactured goods 10 per cent, out and the Government be compelled to pay out silver for bond redemption seems now to be remote and growing more so. The gold owned by the Government now amounts to \$170,912,413, a larger sum than excellent quality and superior weight has 000, and all the concerns together employ the Government has owned previously since the resumption of specie payments, with the exception of the single month of November, 1881. The stock of gold has been growing continuously since July last in spite of the large redemptions of bond. The

increase in the stock of gold for December was a trifle less than \$7,000,000, and for the half fiscal your a little more than \$14,000,000. At the same time the stock of silver dollars foster French commerce as much as possible, it is more likely that his cancerous disease which recently threatened to absorb everything in the treasury has been for some months steadily falling off, though coinage goes on without interruption. New York, January 3rd .- It is known that

for some weeks John Roach, the great ship builder, has been confined to his residence in gradually failing health. According to his own desire, that his friends should not be needlessly alarmed, and apprehensive of the effect upon him of learning the real nature of the disease from which he is suffering, his family and physicians lavo been reticent in regard to his condition. Mr. Roach, however, now realizes fully the impossibility of recovering, and reason for concealment no longer exists. In view of this fact, a representative of Mr. Roach's family to-night made the following statement. of his condition.

"Mr. Roach is beyond the reach of medical help, save in alleviating his sufferlings, which have long been intenso. His of General Grant, its location, however, progress have failed, and only, his powerful constitution has sustained him so long. entire nervous prostration consequent upon his assignment eighteen months ago. From that crushing blow he could not rally

New York, January 4th .- Referring to

New York, January 2nd.—The Tribune says: The probable loss of the Austrian ship Miroslar recalls the history of the famous ship Young America, the name which was given to the vessel when she servative Conneil of Liverpeel has in-from Gladstone, if he is not reconciled, he avoided, he flashed his light in the face of H. Webb in 1853. The Mirostar sailed from the Delaware Breakwater for Fiume on February 17th and has not since been heard from. She was one of those stanch live-oak vessels, with iron and copper fairness in carrying out the plan of campaign, strong sentences inflicted on the Woodford ing through the window of the cab, carry, nia trade. She was 233 feet long, 1,439 castings, built expressly for the Califortons measurement and a three-decker. Her first eighteen voyages from New York London, January 7th.—The Standard says: intensely. Judge Palles in passing sen- to a slight wound upon the knee. As sixty days at Rio Janeiro for repairs, aver-Gladstone is prepared to modify his home- tence delivered an extraordinary speech in soon as he realized the danger, he called to aged 118 days and 16 hours. Eight sucrule scheme with a view to the consideration which he actually denounced the Chief his fireman, William Fredericks, to save cessive voyages from San Francisco to New York in her palmy days were made in 99 days, 100 days, 83 days, 86 days, 92 days, questions exclusively Irish which may be police and military in carrying out evic- mate his danger. This was fatal, as at that No-yacht or man-of-war was ever kept-inbetter order than the Young America until publishes a statement that Parnell intends to Judge Palles declared that such an order the wreck. The effect of the collision can Buccari, Austria, in 1879. Her fast voyages move a vote of censure in the Commons would be illegal and unconstitutional, no mat- be better imagined than described. The aud beautiful lines always attracted a large crowd to her wharf when she was in port.

> Washington, December 31st .-- A bold The scandal called forth a burning protest to- The force of the impact jammed the baggage robbery was perpetrated at the residence day from Bishop McCormick of Anchonary. | cars into the tender of the fast train, the of Don Domingo Gand, Chilean Minister, The Star's Loudon cable specials says: express car into the baggage, and the smoker last night. The burglar was F. B. Silva, a Brazilian- who had formerly been emberlain negotiations has been splendid. At the In less than five minutes from the mo- ployed in the household. About one month Liberal headquarters the opinion prevails that ment of the collision and before any or- ago Silva was discharged on suspicion and if Chamberlain refuses Gladstone's terms he ganized' effort at rescue could be made the went to New York. He returned last night, B places himself definitely outside the party fire from the overturned stoves cammuni- entered the home of his former employer and dishes himself, and if he rejoins the cated to the woodwork and the flames and stole a sum of money and \$7000 worth Liberals Hartington will be forced-to go over broke out, their roar mingling with the of jewelry and other valuables. The thief to the Ministry to prevent the Whig-Tory cries of anguish of the imprisoned victims. was arrested this morning while boarding a alliance being dished through the less of the The trainmen and uninjured passengers train for New York, and the valuables were

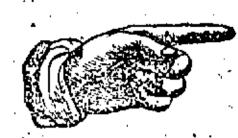
Chicago, December 31st.—Colonel W. H. Bolton, ex-Superintendent of second-class mail matter in the Chicago Postoffice, recently indicated for embezzlement in the United States District Court, yesterday afternoon pleaded guilty to withholding \$12,000 from the Government. His counsel cited Colonel Bolton's honorable war Dublin, January 5th.—Fifty-six men who empty gondolas. The smoker contained record and the fact that he had turned over about the amount of the embezzlement. The

New York, January 10th.—The Herald says: Our Paris correspondent souds word imprisonment ranging from twelve to eighteen his left leg being cut in several places and a that in order to avoid the ten days' imsplinter, or rod, being run into his right foot. prisonment to which she was sentenced for Ottawa, January 5th.—The Marquis of New York, January 4th.—The United slander, Mme. Rattazzi has quitted French

> Rome, January 9th.—Mathilde Mari, 18 years of age, and Miss Romano, aged 16, Polish art students, were found suffocated on a bed in a hotel in this city to-day. On the floor lay the dead body of a man. Letters addressed to relatives were found which indicated that all three had comitted suicide.

Paris, January 9th.-Lindsay Elder, an

EXTRA TO THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."



GRATIS TO SUBSCRIBERS.



Paris, February 11th.—At a ball at the they were engaged in pearl-diving, has religious Palace last evening a rumor was turned. The enterprise was entirely succirculated that General Boulanger's aidecessful. The native chief, who was redecamp had applied to the Foreign Office sponsible for the murder, was caught and for a passport on the ground that he was to beheaded, and the village where he and has received a dispatch from the Italian consequence of certain movements that have bear a letter from Boulanger to the Em- his accomplices lived was burned. ... commander at Massowah, saying that Ra- been observed there. peror of Russia; that M. Flourens, For- Brisbane (Queensland) February 10th .- salula was retreating, but that it was not eign Minister, refused to grant the pass- Mrs. Henry Wood, the novelist, is dead, known whether he desired to await rein- miners at Blantyre, Scotland, to-day enport, and that a violent scene took place be laged 67 years. [Mrs. Wood commenced forcements or whether owing, to his losses, gaged in riotons demonstrations and tween General Boulanger and M. Flou- her literary career in magazines, and gained he had decided to refrain from attacking looled a number of shops. The local porens, the former explaining that the letter in 1860 the temperance prize of £100 by Massowah. The commander further says lice were powerless and troops had to be was not for the Czar, but for the Russian the publication of "Danebury House," a that Major Piano has brought letters from called out to quell the disturbance. A War Minister, and that the communication temperance story. That was followed by King John and Rasalula, offering to renew number of arrests were made. The miners' must traverse the regular diplomatic chan-"East Lynne. She was the author of more peaceful relations on condition that the strike is spreading in Scotland: nols. The aide-de-camp is still in Paris.

outbreak of war.

London cablegram of the 9th instant says; the Pacific Mail Steamship Company and Germany, according to a dispatch from the Panama Railead Company to agree Berlin, has asked France for a formal on a settlement of their differences was declaration of neutrality in the event of albeld—this morning. President—Houston war in the East. In Downing street the and Director Edward Lauterbach represtatement is partly confirmed. The com-sented the Pacific Mail and Messrs. Seligmunicution, however, was unofficial and man, McCullough, Ellis and Dacosta the put in the way of a suggestion leading up to Panama Railroad Company. The comproa friendly understanding between France and mise proposed yesterday was agreed to by Germany. The whole situation to-night both companies. It provides for the setpoints to the East as the probable first scene tlement of the outstanding claim of the of wavlike operations.

tom of the new Spanish difficulty with payments of \$70,000 for transportation France, he has lost no time in placing him-lacross the isthmus heretofore charged the self in a position to take advantage of it. Pacific Mail by the Panama Company The German representative at Madrid has there will be paid \$55,000 per mouth and been called upon to make a full statement the Pacific Mail Company is allowed to reof the Spanish case against France, and duce its service in any way it chooses inthe German Minister at Tangier has been stoad of being compelled to run a sleamer summened to Berlin to give a verbal account every week, as was provided under the of the alleged rectification of the Algiers- terms of the old contract. This provision

giers published in the Kreuz Zeitung have the unexpired seven years on the old caused much excitement here. The displagreement which the new contract takes patches say that a number of Generals the place of amounts to over \$1,600,000. and staff officers have left Algiers to re- The Pacific Mail directors after the meeting sume command in France, and that four stated that no negotiations for the subsidy battalious of the Twelfth Army Corps, sta-from the transcontinential lines were being tioned in Algiers, have been ordered to hold considered. One of them predicted an themselves in readiness to embark. Prepa-advance of rates before the end of this week. ration: are being made at different ports to expedite the shipment of troops. Territorial steamers for Australia will hereafter call at troops, the dispatches say, are to take the place of the battalions leaving Algiers.

a recent interview a French statesman said that France will not commence hostilities because of the belief, perhaps superstition, existing throughout the country, that the richten says that it has authentic information was heir. In the hearing to-day Deakin's Power which begins the next war will be that General Boulanger, French Minister of son testified that Anderson's wife offered defeated.

London, February 10th .- The stock markets were firm to-day. Egyptian securities rose 2 per cent in consequence of a rumor were firm. Consols closed at 100 15-16 for both money and account.

It is reported that 2000 German officers in active servi**ce.**

at 77 francs 77 contimes.

provailed on the Bourse to-day.

dockyards there.

The North German Gazette declares that protest in Germany. the statement that the Government incited ! the publication of Cardinal Jacobini's dispatches is a pure invention.

The Prussian Ministerial Council has decided to postpone the submission of the Church bill to the Landtag until after the Reichstag elections.

The extent of the revision of the May laws depends upon the pliability of the Center. to abstain from any comment likely to pro-A number of Conservatives in the upper House are not willing to consent to the return of religious orders, and will require strong pressure and reasons to induce them Journal arges Austria to attack Russia before

The Berlin Post's warlike articles have lower Danube, fallen flat. That paper now reproves the London, February 9th.—Consols closed at lovations on the Emperor's birthday. Center party for its "sinful pride" in re: 100 11-16. but this is impossible.

amount of 30,000,000 marks.

the views expressed in his former letters.

forces in the Sondan. King Bumbert will to-morrow give a de-Batisfy the Holy Father. cision in respect to the Ministerial crisis. It is expected that Premier Depretis will form Cardinal Jacobini's letter to the Nuncio at wrecked. At Magdeburg yesterday twenty- dispatch-beares between fortresses and outa new Cabinet.

Guinea to avenge the murder by natives, many will exert a pressure on Italy to Minister here has been summoned to Ber- the enthusiasm over it is immense. Verdi last October at Johannet, of the Captain, yield to the Vatican's wishes. The official lin. It is understood he is called home in is delighted with the result, and the opinion. two sailors and six Malays of a ship, while journal says: "The letter gives us a useful connection with the report that the French is that it will be a triumph for the composer.

than two dozen novels.]

A dispatch from Strasburg to Republique | Cape Town, February 10th.—Traders from youd Massowan, and authorizing Major Plano | cepted Hanlan's challenge to row on the Francaise says that 600 Alsatians, who were the interior report that the explorer, Dr. to negotiate terms of peace. The commander | Nepears river. Hanlan will start for Aussummoned to join the German reserves, have Holub, his wife and the entire party accom- replied evasively, with the object of recovering crossed into French territory, dreading an panying him have been massacred by natives | the Italian prisoners.

New York, February 10th.—The adjourned New York, February 10th.—The Star's conference between the representaives of Panama Railway of \$530,000 by the pay-If Prince Bismarck was not at the bot-ment of \$160,000. In lieu of the monthly

Morocco frontier at the expense of Spain. | alone, will save the Pacific Mail \$50,000 Berlin, February 10th .- Advices from Al- per month. The saving of other items for

direct connection between Germany and The Vienna Neue Freie Press says that in India. It is anticipated that Gorman trade will-be-greatly-benefited.

the eastern frontier. Four battalions in Algiers him. that the British protectorate is to be estab- ten adds : "Paris advices state that owing Vatican in negotiations for the revision lished over the country. American securities to urgent representations by his collengues, of the May laws, has been deputed by General Boulanger has postponed issuing the Popo to make a statement declaring those orders until 21st."

entitled to retirement have asked to be kept writes: "A deceptive calm followed your on the Septembate bill explaining Papal recent article referring to General Bon-interests from a Catholic standpoint in Paris, February 10th.-Three per cent langer and he is now more powerful than having the Catholic electors assist rentes for account opened at 77 france 55 ever. Even his former opponents, turning securing the success of Prince Bismarck's on yesterday's closing quolations, and closed impossible to struggle against the growing making this important statement will the manses as the long-expected liberator the Prussian Diet of the new Ecclesiasti-

venge." Berlin, Feb. 10th.—Commander Chadwick | The Post adds: An extra from the Paris in matters of ecclesiastical discipine and apand Lieutement Buckingham of the American Figure contains an article signed by Schooli pointment, will favor the nomination of Dr. navy have arrived at Kiel, to inspect the imputing the grossest immorality to German Kopp in the Bishopric of Breslau. women. This will raise a storm of indiguant

> Paris, February 9th.—The Bourse was weak. Renterclosed at 77 francs 35 centimes. The newspapers here congratulate "the Chamber of Deputies upon the dignified silence on which it voted the army credits. Such action, they say, shows that France can be prudent and patriotic when necessary. The advice of the press generally is voke Germany.

Pesth, February 9 .- The Bada Pesth the latter has completed preparations on the Prince Bismarck has issued a notice re-

belling against the Pope's decree. The Berlin, Feb. 9th.—The Munich Allgemeine patches which have passed between the Germania say: The Pope had expressed the Zeitung publishes Cardinal Jacobini's letter to Russian and British Governments regard. cable special of February 6th says: The wish that our party support the Septennate, the Nuncio at Munich. It is dated Jan. 30th. ing the Bulgarian question are published. belief is general in mercantile circles that The Cardinalsays that in view of the impending They show that the Czar approved of the war between Gormany and France will The Imperial Bank to-day placed for sale revision of the Church laws the Pope desires course of General Kaulbars in Bulgaria and break out as soon as fighting weather sets on the Bourse Treasury certificates to the the center to support the Septemate bill in declared that his efforts to restore the indeevery possible way, and concludes: "It is pendence of that country would-be continued. depends on the efforts of the Powers to Rould February 1Ith.—In consequence of well known the Government attaches the The late Lord Iddlesleigh (the Foreign Secre- form alliances. The outlook to-night on the recent speeches of the leaders of the greatest importance to the passage of the tary) in reply said that though the Russian the whole may be summed up as no im-German Center party, the Papal Secretary bill. If by its adoption it should be found Government's impressions of events in Bulgat mediate danger, but war in the spring. has sent another letter to the Nuncio at possible to void the danger of war in the ria differed widely with those of the British Munich saying that the Pope, in spite of the near future the Center would render great Government, England was equally desirous rent to the effect that the Government is declaration of the Center leaders, maintains service to the Fatherland and to the cause of maintaining the treaties relative to Bul- raising a loan of 300,000,000 marks has of humanity in Europe by supportiong the garia and obtaining a pacific solution of the been officially denied, but it has been as-Rome, February 10th.—The Chamber of bill. In the contrary case the hostile atti-difficulty. Deputies to-day approved the credit for tude of the Center would be considered Berlin, February 8th. - The police atthe construction of a cable telegragh from unpatriotic, and the dissolution of the tempted to disperse a socialist meeting Perim, at the entrance of the Red sea, to Reichstag would cause embarrasment and which was being held in the Book Brow- bankers. The ostensible object of the loan Massowali and adjourned sine die. This uncertainties to the Center party." Car-ery at Stettin last evening but failed. A cable makes direct connection with the dinal Jacobini instructs the Nuncio to urgo force of military was then summoned, and cable now in the Red sea and secures direct the leaders of the Center to influence their with fixed bayonets drove the people from which will be incarred under the army bill. communication via Alexandra with the Italian colleagues in favor of the Septemate and the hall. Several of the people were assure them that such a course would greatly wounded by bayonet thrusts. One-man is guns under the new credit.

Munich will lead to a lively debate in the four socialists were arrested on the charge of Posts. Brisbane (Queensland), February 10th.- Chamber or Deputies. The letter is thought belonging to an illegal society.

Italians do not extend their territory be-A dispatch from Strasburg to Republique | Cape Town, February 10th.—Traders from youd Massowah, and authorizing Major Piano.

> Paris, February 8th. - The Chamber o Deputies to-day passed without debate or scruting the extra budgets asked for by the War and Naval Departments.

exercises of their troops likely to be falsely

interpreted to Germany. League have been arrested for placarding the Ogden Ferris, alias Sir Roger Tichborne, city with an appeal to soldiers to desert or who was convicted in the United States

shoot their officers. has introduced a bill into the Chamber of Deputies for an extra budget of appropriations; amounting to 49,000,000 francs, of which 19,000,000 francs are asked for press-

ing military measures. London, February 8th.—The Stock Exchange markets were very flat to-day on lower quotations from Berlin and rumors that Alsace-Lorraine will be declared in a state of siege. The market closed rather firmer. American securities were notwithstanding New York people were buying here. The Pavis Bourse closed flat, owing to unfavourable rumors from Ger-

Reports received from various directions reassert that troops are being concentrated in Southern Russia.

London, February 8th .- George Franklin Anderson, described as an American Judge from Detroit, was to-day committed London, February 9th. - The German Charles Deakin of Susquehauma, Pa., Colombo instead of Chagos, thus forming prisoner under the pretense that they were necessary for expenses incurred in the work he pretended to be engaged in of se-Berlin, February 9th.—The Berliner Nach- estate to which he had been convinced he inference from their action, if true, is not

have been ordered to France. Boulangerhas in- | Breslan, February 8th .- It is stated that structed the Military Railway Committee to Mons. Kopp, Catholic Bishop of Fulda, remain in permanent session. The Nachrich- who mediated between Prussia and the the Pope's intentions in advising the Ca-

Berlin, February 8th. - The Official Gazette publishes a communication, signed by Prince Bismarck, in which the Chancellor says that Emperor William has received from various associations addresses intimating a desire of the senders to give expression to their sentiments of loyalty and anniversary of his birthday, but that the Emperor, feeling it necessary to avoid fatigue, is compelled, with sincere regret, to decline to receive addresses in person. In view of Emperor William's desire for rest on account of his old age, questing the people to abstain from noisy

London, February 8th .- The official dis-

reported to have been killed. The hall in

London, February 8th .- The striking

Toronto, February 8th.—Beach has actralia about the end of August or the first part of September. He positively declines to row on the Parramatta river.

Rome, February 8th.—It is stated that the Abyssinians lost-5000 men in the battles The French commanders along the Ger. in which the Italian forces were defeated man frontier have been ordered to avoid all near Massowah, in the Soudan, on January 26th and 27th.

Chicago, February 5th .- The News' New Several members of the Anti-Patriotic York special of February 4th says: Charles Court for fraudulently obtaining a pension Brussels, February 8.—The Government from the Government, was sentenced to-day to five years in the penitentiary.

> New York, Fobruary 6th - The owners of the keel schooners Coronet and Deuntless are actively preparing, for a race across the ocean on March 15th. The rigs of both are being altered. Probably no other yachts. will onter.

New York, Feb. 6th.-G. W. Smalley's cable special to the Tribune from London of February 5th says: The Stock Exchange panic after the unexpected and violent recrudesance of Thursday spent its force and yesterday prices rallied. The French Prime Minister told the truth when he declaved yesterday that not prospects of war but Bourse managuvers were responsible for the collapse of prices. All over Europe every rumor has been magnified. German loan announced weeks ago to balinnee the budget was reannounced as a for trial, charged with having swindled novelty and the amount cularged from out perhaps \$4,000,000 to \$25,000,000. The of a large sum of money collected by the Rothschilds are alleged to have been operlating for a full and people jumped from a doubtful premise to the more doubtful conclusion that the Rothschilds believed curing for the plaintiff a valuable English that there would soon be war. The only that they believed war to be imminent but that they believed others would believe it. War, is preparing for a movement of troops to \$6,000 as bribe to withdraw the charge against Full explanations of the calling out of the heard amid the yells of the "bears."

The Bank of England gave proof of its confidence in the situation by lowering its rate from 5 to 4 per cont. Instantly it was said-that this only showed that the Continent was remitting money to England for security. Securities of countries like The Berlin Post's Paris correspondent thelic elector to support the Government Spain, which must be far outside of any possible theater of war, have been run down, with Russians have fallen but slight-Lecause Berlin supports them. Premier Gublet's explanation of these phecentimes to-day, an advance of 20 centimes toward him as to the rising sun, finding it bill in the Reichstag. The occasion for nomena will not be relished, but no other popularity of the man who is regarded by the introduction in the upper house of until the German elections, which are fixed for February 21st, but it remains true that Vienna, February 10th.—Rirmness has of the whole country, are anxious for re-eal bill. It is also announced here that the the probabilities of immediate war have Pope, desiring to meet Prassia's views even been diminishing. The anxiety at the Foreign Office, though great, is less to-day than it was a week ago.

> Meantime the Standard has raised in a new form the question of the neutrality of Belgium. A letter of "Diplomaticus," published in that paper conspicuously, is practically an appeal to England not to interfere should Germany find it necessary to invade France through Belgiam. Heretofore an attack upon Belgium's neutrality veneration in a personal interview with his has been supposed to be more likely to Majesty on the occasion of the approaching come from France, but "Diplomations" hints at the reverse of this. The Standard, which certainly does not discuss the subject without some knowledge of Ministerial opinion, declares against all efforts by England to protect Belgium against the use of her territory as a thoroughfare for the German forces—a prudent resolve at the time when the ordnance department is serving out a fresh supply of sword-bayonets made of

New York, February 7th .- The Star's in. The official view is that peace or war Berlin, February 6th .- The rumor cur-

certained that Prussia will obtain a loan of 150,000,000 marks, one-third of which has already been subscribed for by Berlin is to cover the Prussian deficit, complete cortain railroads and meet the expenses Krupp has received a large order for field

The Minister of War has issued a decree Rome, February 9th.—It is expected that which the meeting was held was completely providing that the bicycle shall be used by

Milan, February 6th.-Verdi's new opera The expedition which went to New to cover the hope of the Vatican that Ger. Pangier, February 8th. - The German 'Otello," has made a great success, and

Depretie is likely to follow his example.

Rome, February 6th .- The Senate yesterday unanimously agreed to the credit for sending troops to the Soudan which was Zanzibar direct.

London, February 6th.—The Prince of on the 22nd inst. Wales has gone to Cannes.

from the Marquis of Lorne caused of the present Government. nion. To any one who visited the Government | they say; "notion is now needed."

tremely fascinating young lady, among Miller, the celebrated Bavarian founder, is opera and created his work on an entirely others, was invited to the Government house. | dead aged 74. She was a great linguist, thoroughly educated, but the failure in business of her father dead, aged 76. rendered it necessary for her to earn her New York, February 11.—The Turf, has sustained the Italian nationality of his livelihood, which she at, first did as gover- Field and Farm says: It appears that Mr. work and the well-known qualities of his to Rideau Hall, she became a fre-plums which England holds out for racers, brilliant light than heretofore. The quent visitor, lavishing her smiles on Lord and may follow in the footsteps of Lorillard. orchestration is one bright jewel of musical Lorne until, as she would have her friends. He sent on a princely entry of thirty nomi- art. Everybody agrees that Verdi has believe, she had completely mesmerized him. nations for the Derby of 1888, but the sub- pointed out a new road to fame for the She showed to her friends letters purporting scription was such an extensive one that younger Italian masters. Stalls at last to come from the Governor-General. Natural- Messrs. Wetherby thought there must be a night's performance sold for \$24 seats for ly the affair caused considerable talk among mistake, and the entry was not-made pub- \$20 and boxes from \$100 to \$240. the gossips of the town, and what was said lie with the others when the list was puband the naughty stories that were passed lished. The matter has been set right, mander at Massowah reports that Rasolula from ear to ear would fill a volume. It is however, and it is likely the millionaire has summoned the Italians to quit all their stated here to-day that should a suit for Californian may send over a contingent to advanced posts and to limit their occupadivorce be pressed to an issue several impor- do battle for the blue ribbon of the turf. tion to Massowah. The Abyssinians hold tant witnesses will be summoned from Ottawa His forfeits for the race will amount to Salietberi, an Italian engineer, as a hosto give evidence in the case.

a general election, and have no desire, if they race of England. the disposal of managers are at a low ebb.

to the address in reply to the Queen's speech out a number of eighty-ton guns for the seven members, three of whom are to be was rejected by a vote of 352 to 246.

fully appreciate the importance of the Tory discreditable condition. party redeeming its pledges of reduced ex- St. Petersburg, February 7th .- The infacturing towns.

Randolph Churchill; nor has he any doubt burst out on the Lokbatan, ten miles distant that, whatever the present feeling of many from Baku. For two nights the volcano Conservatives may be in regard to the threw a column of fire and mud 350 feet action of Lord Randolph Churchill, it will high, illuminating the country for miles. The eventually be seen that he was governed, so mud emitted during the eruption already lies far as his intentions go, by an honest desire from seven to fourteen feet deep over a full to secure not merely the temporary triumph, square mile of territory. but the long supremacy of the Conservative | London, February, 7th .- It is reported party in British affairs.

cable special says: On Tuesday Hamilton other British Embassadors. McCormick of Chicago will lead to the altar | Three of the largest paper manufacturers Miss Plummier, the lovely daughter of Plum- in Germany have instructed their agents in mer, solicitor, in the aucient city of Canter- England not to enter into fresh contracts for bury. The wedding will be one of the most supplies of paper, because they have reson to brilliant that has been witnessed in Canter- believe that Port Hamburg is likely to be

bury for many years. New York, February 12th.-A London | The Standard correspondent at St. Peterscable special to the Star says: Russian burg affects to know on good authority that agents in the Balkan States have been dis- there will be no war in Europe. covered by Bulgarian authorities in the The Pall Mall Gazette asserts that Engact of organizing the Slav population for a land has practically decided to adopt the simultaneous rising against the Govern- Lee American rifle for the use of her army. ments of Bulgaria, Eastern Roumelia and London, February 7th .- Consola opened at Servia. The Powers have been notified of 100 11-16 for both money and account, the fact and asked to call on the Russian American and other foreign securities were Government or their agents to desist. very firm to-day. The prices of English From the capitals of each of the above securities were slightly better. Consols States come statements to-night that the closed at 100-11-16. Bussian occupation of Bulgaria shortly is | Paris, February 7th .- The members of the regarded as inevitable, plunging the whole Extreme Left have decided in favor of of the Balkan region into the horrors of granting priority to General Boulanger's

Leo's action in Germany secures the peace ment regarding the political situation. of Europe. The Emperor William will with- Le Paris expresses thankfulness because hold the warlike manifesto he would otherwise France is under a republican government. have published. [Signed.] Bernard O'Reilly. A King, says that Journal, could never have Berlin, February 11th.—The Krevz-Zeitung brooked German insults. says: The danger of war will not cease to The Spanish republican immigrants rebe acute putil stable conditions are estab- siding in France have decided to form a lished in France and the further develop- volunteer force of 2,000 men to assist France agrarian affairs is to be found not in the inment of the military measures of General in the event of war with Germany. Boulanger is stayed. The penceful assur- Paris, Feb. 7th.-Three-per-cent rentes fell ances of the French Government are over- to 78 france 5 centimes, but advanced in the constitutional measures as those recently taken estimated, as the governing powers of afternoon, and the official closing figures by her Majesty's Government, but in such France have only a slight hold over the were 78 france 55 centimes.

under drill will not hasten the mobilizing of many by telephone. the army in a single quarter. at Paris to discontinue the dispatch of re-en- favors the septemente, was chosen as a candi- ally prevent disturbed relations between

General Boulanger has promised his collea- London, February 7th.—Acting by his present serious position in Irish domestic daughter were with him in his last hours. gues that he will order no more war prepara- physicians advice, Parnell will go abroad affairs rested with the Government. The tions without their approval.

International securities, one-twentieth. The Kolnische Zeitung says that one-third relative to the liquor traffic in Ireland on the the Government that if they again tried tea on Monday afternoon with the of the army is already armed with repeating ground that the question should be reserved coercion they would fail, as they always American Minister and Miss McLane. Minister rifice; and by the end of the month 250,000 for an Irish Parliament. men will be competently drilled.

bill to the desire on the part of France to guest. after the German elections.

received in shipping circles in this city that leigh. one of the steamships of the National line Dublin, February 7th,—The New Ross rate | swing. The Government talked of robbery | Langtry, as, he said, "they are absolutely was spoken at sea on the 6th instant with her payers will continue to withhold their of landlords, forgetting that almost every without foundation."

disabled was the Holland.

Rome, February 11th.—The Pope, in evicted tenants on the various estates. response to friendly overtures from China,

Chicago, February 12th.—The Times' Ot- take place in this State, or on the American Milan society including all the Italian notawa (Ont.) special of the 11th says: The frontier, between Ramon Corral, Secretary of bility in the city who could get here. announcement from England by cable that State, and A. G. A. Pesquera, who was recent- Boito's libretto is excellent. The drama is the Princess Louise is seeking a divorce by released from jail. He is a bitter enemy constructed in accordance with the prin-

in any way famillar with their domestic rela-sert that the outrages at Lyons and St. tirely dispensed with by Boite, the action

House the strained relations between the | Glasgow, February 11th .- At Airdrie, which are greatly effective. Verdi in his Royal Princess and her consort were most Lancashire, order has been restored, the new work has made a distinct ascent toemployers having conceded the demands of ward a higher musical plane than any An incident is recalled which occurred the striking miners.

\$3,750, even if he does not start a single tage. The latter was threatened with death New York, February 12th.- The Star's horse. At present there is no added money and begged the Italian commander to come cable from Loudon of the 11th says; Par- to the Derby, but it is probable that the to an agreement with Rasolula. The comnell's health is improving daily. He was action of Sandowne Park in richty en- mander replied that he was unable to do so in better spirits to-night then he has been dowing stakes like the great Eclipse will because the Italian forts were intended for for a long time. The Gladstonite whips in- force the Epsom authorities to follow suit, the protection of caravaus and he was ready timate that the party are still unprepared for and thus make the Derby in value the great to resist the Abyssinians.

had the power, to bring an immediate defeat | Chicago, February 7th .- The Times' Ottawa | Africa Company has been converted into a on the Government. The election funds at [Ont.) special says: Some mistake appears | corporation by a committee of founders, to have been made in the announcement merchants and financiers. The Board of London, Feb. 11th., -Parnell's amendment that the British Government are sending Directors will hereafter consist of twentycoast defense of Esquimant and Victoria. nominated by Bismarck. The capital is to New York, February 12th.—The Tribune's Twelve sixty-four-pounders have been be raised to 5,000,000 marks by a further Lendon cable special of the 11th says: In sent out from England not for the arma- issue of shares. an interview to-day Lord Dupraven ex- ments of forts, but to be placed either on plicitly stated that his resignation as Colo- board of British ships-of-war belonging to George Bubear and G. J. Perkins for the nial Under Secretary in no way involves the Pacific squadron or to go into the naval scalling championship of England for the slightest change of attitude on his part reserves. Some time ago the British Min- £400 and the sporting men's challenge as a Conservative or as an Irish land- ister of War made application to the Cana- cup, took place to-day, and was won by lord toward the policy of the Gov-dian Pacific Railway folks to know if Bubear. The race was rowed over the Tyne ernment for the maintenance of the they could transport one or more eighty- championship course. union. He regards absolute supremacy of ton guns over their road. An estimate of Brussels, February 7th.—The police in this tion of the relations between Ireland and shipment was made. Since then nothing has been released from prison at Ghent. of Ireland. He believes that a resolute bia district does not speak very favorably into a row. enforcement of the law is all that is neces- of the condition of the armament at that sary to the real restoration of order in Ire- point. The guns he reports are few, with Government from which he has just re- are without sights. The batteries at Victoria signed turns upon his doubt whether they and Esquimault, the officers say, are in a

penditure and increased economy in the habitants of Baku, the center of the great public service, which will command for them Russian petroleum field, have been much the support of the Democracy in the manu- alarmed over a subterraneau explosion which shook the houses and caused con-On this point he is as one_with Lord siderable damage. At the time a volcano

that Lord Salisbury has received pacific ad-New York, February 12th.-A Loudon vices from Sir E. B. Malet at Berlin and

closed soon in consequence of war.

Military Organization bill, with the view The Sun's Glengariff special says: Pope of drawing from Premier Goblet a state-

nation. As far as Germany's preparations Berlin, February 7th.—The Post office and scenre the confidence of the Irish people.

go, nothing can be founded upon calling authorities are making extensive experiments | Parnell maintained that if the bill for out reserves. The fact of 70,000 reserves with a view of connecting the whole of Ger- stopping evictions, which he introduced

that Count de Robilant, Minister of For- under sail. The steamer when spoken was pointed by the Government hold control sale robbery and confiscation. The bulk eign Affairs, resigned, and that Premier 700 miles from land. All on board were well. Their arrears amount to £8,500. The Brit- of improvements made by tenants have The National Line steamship seen at sea ish Board of Guardians has notified the work- been seized by the landlords, who long house officials to prepare apartments for have been robbing the tenants of the

New York, February 7th .- Italo Comvoted by the Chamber of Deputies on Friday. has instructed Cardinal Simeoni to prepare panini cables the Times from Milan; The Sucz, February 6th.—Henry M. Stanley a convention securing complete liberty for first presentation to the public of Verdi's empire. The proposals will be sent to Peking a grand event in the history of Italian oppression equaling those of the Czar embarked on the steamer Navarejo to-day for | mission and Catholic residents in the Chinese | new opera "Otello" Saturday evening was musical art. The theater was overcrowded Guaymas, February 11th .-- A duel will soon with people representing all classes of ciples of Wagnerian reform. The first act very little surprise here among those who were | Paris, February 11th.-The anarchists as- of Shakespeare's splendid tragedy is en-Rideau Hallas Governor-General of the Domi- campaign in France. "We talked too long," act; but Boito, with great pluck, atones for look the Comment to do for benealf which he has reached. He has abandoned during their stay in Ottawa. An ex- Munich, February 11th .- Ferdinand Von the conventional forms of the old Italian different plan. The score is written with Paris, February 11th.—Prince Wagran is remarkable freshness and invention, and notwithstanding his during evolution, Verdi However, once having the entree Haggin has his eye, on some of the rich genius will be recognized, though in a more

Rome, February 7th.—The Italian Com-

Berlin, February 7th .- The German East

London, February 7th .- The race between

the Imperial Legislature as essential and the cost was given, with a model of the city have seized a new socialist paper called be would never consent to any modifica- car which it was proposed to use if the Le Conscrit. Anseele, a prominent socialist, Great Britain, which involves the possibil- has been heard of the eighty-ton gun. The demonstration by his followers was suppresity of separate national action on the part officer in command of the British Colum- sed by the police, as if threatened to develop

Paris, Feb. 7th .- M. Rihoured, French Resident in Tonquin, telegraphs: that Colone land, and his only difference with the rotten timbers and carriages, while the guns Brissand has occupied a fort on Makas ridge after a stubborn resistance by the Annamites. The French had eight wounded.

Generals that has ever lived."

said, contains full information about the friend of Henri Relichefort. to the modus vivendi between Canada and English periodical. ceived and considered.

Parnell moved his amendment to the address in reply to the Queen's speech. The amendment is as follows:-

The relations between the owners and occupiers of land in Ireland have not been seriously their tenants such abatements as were demanded by prices of agricultural and pastoral products. The remedy for the crisis in Irish creased stringency of criminal proceedings, nor in the pursuit of such doubtful and unreform of the law as will satisfy the needs discipline.

last session, be passed, the condition of At a large meeting of electors held yester- Ireland would be greatly improved. The The Nachrichten says:-It has been decided day at Bonn, Judge Hans, a Catholic, who operations of the measure would effectulandlords and tenants. The blame for the

Rome, February 6th.—A rumor is current propeller broken and returning to England rates as long as the Board of Guardians ap- title of Irish land was founded upon wholeproducts of their labor and embezzling their rights. [Irish cheers.] Parnell went on to condemn coercion as tantamount to conspiracy. He taunted the Torics with the declaration that if they got powers of them under a constitutional governmentnot so long as Irish members had a seat in Parliament. [Cheers.] Even now, at the eleventh hour, if the Government refrained from its policy of exasperation and stopped its infliction of injustice, by legal enactments, and a system of repression which have done more to demoralize Irish tonants than all the Fenian agitators, from what England seems to have neither wish nor power to do, Ireland would show, by her tranquility and prosperity, how unfairly she has been treated in the past and how unjust was the assertion that Ireland is not a law-abiding people. [Cheers.] The debate on the address, for the first time since the opening of the session, tok

a definite and practical form, the House having an important issue in the Parnell nmendment. Parnell, in his speech, was moderate and judicious in tone. He purposely avoided personal approval of the principle of the plan of campaign in order not to offend a number of Gladstonian members who disapprove, but are inclined to condone, it, as a desperate temporary remody. The speech was notable more for diplomatic calmness and finesse than for fervor or brilliancy, and secured all the hesitant members. Parnell spoke with energy and was exhausted at the end.

Gladstone proposes to support the Par nell

John Morley moved an adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to, although the debate is likely to a last week. The Government will issue a pressing "whip" for Thurs-

It is expected that Lord Hartington will

follow Morley. In the Commons this evening, John Morley, resumed the debate on Parnell's amendment to the address in reply to the Queen's speech. Morley said that he agreed with that part of the amendment which affirmed that the edy for the existing crisis in Prish affairs would be found in such reform of the law and system of government as would satisfy the needs and secare the confidence of the Irish people. The amendment offered by Parnell pointed out the only possible policy for the proper government of Ireland. Concerning the question of land purchase, Morley asked what better terms there were for tenants than those s

proposed. Jacob bright (Liberal) said it was no discredit to England that she failed to govern Ireland. The discredit was in refusing. to abandon an-impossible task. The attempt to govern by force failed in America and Canada, and would fail in Ireland. Ireland must be treated the same as Canada. The relations between landlord and tenant in Ireland were a far greater scandal than was the plan of campaign. He would be surprised if the Irish leaders had not adopted

at home such methods. New York, February 11th .- The Tribune's New York, Feb. 9th.—The Star's London London cable of the 10th says: Judgo special says: "Parnell passed the dangerous Edwards Pierrepont goes home in the point in his illness long ago and is now Etruria on Saturday. The Judge left making satisfactory progress. What he London yesterday in excellent health and is bothered with now is a little gastric re-spirits, much delighted with his trilaxation. He intends to take a brief holi- nmph over the red-tape French notaries day after the division bringing the debate to in the matter of the marriage statements a close. It is hoped and believed that of Mrs. Adele Stevens, the recently divorced the holiday will restore him to his former wife of Frederick Stevens of New York, now married to the Marquis De New York, February 9th.—The World's Talleyrand, the recently divorced hus-Philadelphia special says: Captain Malbro band of Miss Curtis of New York. The Frazier, one of the best-known military French notaries insisted that their marmen of Philadelphia, has returned from riage should be celebrated under the exa two years' sojourn in Europe. While abroad clusive rules of French law, which would he had a long personal interview with General have given the Marquis control of all the Von Moltke. When asked his opinion of property of his wife, but Judge Pierre-Grant, Von Moltke said: "Grant's death pont, acting with the consent of the was a great loss. He was one of the greatest bride's family, refused, and as the ... Marquis finally co-operated with him in London, February 6th.—Sir James Fergu-spite of his own French lawyers, Judge son, Parliamentary Secretary for the For- Pierrepont won. The extensive property eign Office, stated in the House of Com- of the bride in America is under the promons last evening that the correspondence tection of American law, and covers the between Great Britain and the United interests of the children by her marriage States relative to the Canadian fisheries with Stevens. The Marquis is about to question would in a short time be laid be- engage extensively in French politics, and fore Parliament. The correspondence, he is a pronounced Liberal. Indeed, he is a

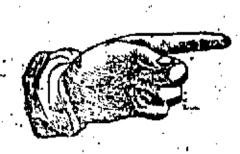
history of the whole affair down to the Judge Pierrepont, has prepared, during his present date. A dispatch from the Domin- sojourn in Europe, a paper on the currency ion Government containing suggestions as question, which will be published in a leading

the United States is now on its way and New York, February 11th .- The Tribune's the London Imperial Government could London cable of the 10th says: At the connot, therefore, send proposals to Washing- vention at Canterbury yesterday Bishop ton until the Canadian dispatch was re- Potter was requested to state the opinion. of the Episcopal Church in America uponthe validity of the ordination made by the late Assistant Bishop Cumnings of Kontucky, whose eccentric coarse drew down upon him in 1873, the consure of the Episcopacy. Cummings, after losing his disturbed in cases where those who granted position in this capacity, continued to ordain deacons and priests, some of whom, going from England and receiving ordination from him, returned to this country and attempted to exercise the priestly function. Bishop Potter expressed himself against, the validity of those ordinations, and was thanked by the English Bishops for clearing up so lucidly and effectively an important point of

The Bishop's departure from London has been delayed by his attendance at the deathbed of Nicholas Beach of New York, who died yesterday at Brown's Hotel, and whose funeral services will be performed by the Bishop to-morrow. Mr. Beach contracted pneumonia, after landing from America, and never rallied. His wife and

New York, February 11th. -A London to recruit his health after the conclusion Government, despite this seemed about to cable special to the Tribune says: In his The Bourse is weak; Russians down 3; of the debate on the address. The Parnell- renew the mistake of attempting coercion passage through Paris this week the ites will oppose in Parliament all projects in Ireland. The speaker solemnly warned Prince of Wales called upon and took failed when trying that policy. Referring McLane's father it may be remembered, re-Sir William Vernon Harcourt's dinner party to the Gloubeigh evictions, Parnell de- presented the United States in London many The National Gazette attributes the con- on Saturday included the Bishop of New clared that the landlords gave the tenants years ago. The Prince gave a breakfast next duct of the French Chamber of Deputies in York and Lady Churchill and John Morley, one month in which to find five years morning at the Hotel Bristol, to which were postponing the debate on the French Military The latter was the only important political rent arrears and costs. The ultimate invited Mrs. James Brown Petter and her sister. offer made by the landlords to take The Prince expressed great indignation at the defer discussion of her military affairs until Gladstone returns to London on Tuesday. half a year's rent looked generous, but the published account of an alleged conversation A committee is to be formed to promote costs involved amounted to over two years' with Mrs Langtry, and declined to believe London, Feb. 11th.—Information has been a national memorial to the late Lord Iddes- rent. The National League, Parnell said, never that some assertions made in that conversainterfered with the work of eviction now in full tion can possibly have been uttered by Mrs.

EXTRA TO THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."



GRATIS TO SUBSCRIBERS.



Pacific Railroad had completed arrangements favor of the Battenbergs. with the Canard Steamship Company to transfer three of its fast steamers to the Loudon cable says: While officials deny the Pacific ocean. The steamers will ply between New Westminister, Yokohama and Hong-diplomatic circles that England is about to kong. In order to obtain a share of the strike a blow with the Ameer against the Shanghai tea shipments the Indo-China Ghilzais, and that Afghanistan is soon to Steamer Company, a British concern, will become the scene of a bloody struggle between co-operate with the railroad company. The vessels of that line will meet the big Canarders occurred in the Cutch colliery in Rhonda at Yokohama and transfer their cargoes. is expected that the Cunard steamers, the in the mine. Twenty-nine persons have been Bothmia, Gallia and Scythia, will leave Eng- and it is reported that six are dead. land, vid the Suez canal, about April 1st, their destination being Hongkong, so that of South Australia shows a surplus of 175,000 they will reach China in time to load new tea.

These steamers register 5000 tons each, and have an average speed of from thirdeen to fourteen knots an hour, and it is sioned to confer with leading manufacturing confidently expected that the passage from firms to ascertain their feeling in regard to Yokohausi to New Westminister will be made taking part in the World's Fair or Expoin from twelve to fourteen days. Tess will be landed by the Canadian Railroad at Mon- Tagblatt has been sentenced to imprisonment treal in thirty days from China. The steamers for printing the story that the Czar had shot will be subsidized by the Canadian Govern- Herr Villaume, military attache of the German ment and mail matter marked for the route from Europe and the United States will be cable special says: Dispatches received ing the past week business was fairly active. .conveyed.

which this new departure would have upon th ten trade of San Francisco, a Chronicle reporter is represented as yielding to the occupation prices were firm but business was rather was told that the Pacific Mail and Occidental Rubrarians or the Torks, the three Powers constitutions and the first and the property of the Court the petidoubtless experience a diminution of their understanding. If the report should turn foreign securities rising one-half per cent. trade, the bulk of tue tea and silk being out to be well founded it will be acshipped to Canada and New York by British Germany to stand aside in the event of a general fractional advance. merchants. Firms engaged in the tea import- Franco-German war and that Austria is to ing business of San Francisco have not filled many orders upon Canadian demands, although a small-shipment was made to Winroads, merchants will suffer no diminution of Spain. trade through the establishment of the line:

the Canard office that none of the fast steamships are for sale, but that negotiations are pending looking to the purchase by the Canadian Pacific of three of the slower stea-

has decided on the construction of a milifor the upper waters of Burmah, thus open-threatening Herat, indicate an early Russian they intend to give no trouble until their ing up a trade route direct from India into advance in the direction of Herat and give chief returns to his Parliamentary duties. the heart of China.

London, February 21st .- A conference of Chilzais by the Russians. the Conservative party was held to-day at the Foreign Office. The conference was largely attended by members of both the house of Commons and the House of Lords. The meeting lasted half an hour. Lord Salisbury was accompanied by Gos-application is under consideration, and chen. Both were cheered heartily when in the mean time the Indian authorities are they entered. The Premier in his address late Earl of Iddesleigh, and the loss the of troops and stores in anticipation of orders to the conference referred feelingly to the Government had incurred by reason of for an advance. secession from the Government of Churchill, mons will bring to the notice of Parliament one-toner, the following message, dated which the speaker described as "a considerable proving that Salisbury's policy has quite London, February 18th: "Will sail when loss to the party." . Goschen's acceptance of recently brought the country within measu- you like. Challenge Sullivan or Smith." office under the present Government, Salisbury said, had strengthened the Conservative

tive meeting at the Foreign Office to-day was chiefly remarkable for the warm re-the regency to a resistance that can only end Chicago, February 21st. - The Times' Ot ception given to Goschen and a total absence in forcing the Russia occupation of Bulgaria tawa (Ontario) special of February 20th says: of any protest or entreaty in behalf of London, February 23rd.—Hereafter there Advices received here by the Government Lord Randelph Churchill. If the latter will be no limit put to the number of from Newfoundland state that a large number has a following among the members of Americans who can be presented at court, of fishermen who have been living in a state the House of Commons, they did not for the Queen has expressed her good-will of destitution in that province for the past think the occasion a good one for declaring themselves, and Lord Salisbury had everything his own way. Indeed, the meeting had no other object than to ad-equal terms with her own subjects, as the follow-that so frequently prevails in Newfoundland, vertise the good state of discipline of the Tory party. The Leader wished to satisfy tion will show: "It has been most kindly intimat- Columbia. himself that his colleagues in the Lower ed in behalf of her Majesty that all American House would be supported cordially in ladies of respectable character, who, their own proposals for procedure, and British subjects, would be received at to discover how much the alleged discon-court, may be presented through the United Marine has sent the following circular to keep order among the crowds besieging the tent with the policy of the Government States Legation." Such presentations do port captains at Limon and Punta Arenas: railways throughout the city. amounted to. The meeting was unani-not entitle those presented to invita- "The Government has determined to prenobody cared to go beyond a hint in favor the legation ask for such invitations. of more decision. This Lord Salisbury has American gentlemen may be presented at discounted in advance by declaring for a levees in court dress, but cannot be prestrong policy, and he is never at a loss for sented at the drawing-room.

the Tories. They did not expect to win signed his commission. the seat which Peter Rylands, who has Signer Depretis tried to form a coalition long held it, retained, as he was elected Ministry-without the held of the chiefs of the best election manager of the Irish party, in occurred at the coal mines of the Col-seagoing craft, roomy and comfortable, and minute, creating the greatest excitoment. So personally conducted the Irish vote.

forcible words.

PRIVATE advices were received on the 21st The Star's London correspondent says: It miles from here at noon to-day, by which Chicago, February 19th.—The Inter-Ocean's

New York, February 23rd.—The Star's bruised around the head. report of the movement of British troops prices were firm, owing to purchases by a this country to purchase corn, oats and red London, February 18th.—An explosion has valley .- There were forty-five men entombed

Adelaide, February 19th.—The wheat crop

Chicago, Feb. 21st .- Verplanck Larson of Australia was in the city last evening on his way to Europe via New York. He is commis-

Berlin, February 21st .- The editor of the

New York, February 18th .- A Lon 'on Paris, February 20th .- On the Bourse dur-Bulgaria. Austria. deserted by Germany receive territorial compensation elsewhere, sconer or later, at the expense of Turkey.

Twenty persons have been arrested.

London cable of the 20th says: Dispatches dwarfs every other Parliamentary topic. from India to-night state that Russino The Tory whips have invited certain color to the reported aubsidizing of the

It has leaked out that the Indian Govern ment has warned the home Cabinet that the Ameer will shortly require effective support and has asked for sanction to push forward troops to Candahar for the purpose. The taking matters into their own hands, usual, and making the necessary dispositions

The Liberal members of the Comrable distance of war with Russia, and that The Parson at once replied: "Sail immethe relations between the contries are dan- diately, Wire your departure and I will meet gerously strained.

Dispatches to-night from Constantinople

with again stopping the way by encouraging to retain the championship of the world.

Rome, February 23rd.—Signor Depretis The Burnley election rather disconcerts has failed to form a Cabinet and has re-

lorado Coal and iron Company at Engle, three calculated for great speed.

ultimo in San Francisco that the Canadian is now believed that Churchill resigned three boys-Jack Picklers, Frank Scargari Milwaukce special says: A prominent firm chiefly because of the Queen's activity in and Daniel Conway-were crushed to death. of malisters of this city have received a letter Father Conway barely escaped, but was badly from their Now York agent in which he states

Paris, February 23rd.-On the Bourse agent of the Gorman Government who came to about yesterday's last figures. The Petite York. Bourse quotations show a further slight

allejo, from Portland, Or., for Hull, arrived settlements and marriage contract of Mrs. off Dover with her bows stove in and forward Adole Steyens, who married the Marquis sank carrying down one of her crew.

the Canadian legislative system.

here to-night amounced that Russia has Yesterday the market was especially animated In reply to a question as to the effect notified the Bulgarian delegates at Con- at the opening, but later in the day realiza-

At Frankfort prices were firmer on the

agents are organizing another rising of Hartington men to the Tory meeting tomers—the Balavici, Partitude and the Ghilzai tribes against England's ally, morrow, much to the disgust of the orthodox is to give a ball at the Royal Palace in which are to run between Vancouver and the Amon of Afghanistan. The Chillesian in the the Ameer of Afghanistan. The Ghilzai wing. The Hartingtonians having been made Madrid. In honor of the occasion he will New York, February 18th.—A London chiefs have received large supplies of aware with scant ceremony of the objection cable special says: The British Government Russian arms, ammunition and treasure, felt by the prominent Tories to their and are acting under the direction of presence, may decide not to attend Russian officers. The enormous concentra- the gathering. The Churchill wing, in answer Mandalay. The intention is to connect the tion of Russian troops and war material at to inquiries as to their attitude on the Egypterminus with a fleet of commercial steamers Merv, Samarcand and strategic points for tian and allnight sittings question, say that

special says: The revenue of the island of Cyprus again shows a large deficit, and representations of an urgent chracter have been made on the subject to Lord Salisbury on behalf of the Sultan. The Porte charges the ing for deliverance from sudden death. English Government with applying part of the revenue to imperial purposes, and scems disposed to claim that the island be coded back to Turkey.

Chicago, February 21st.—The Times says "Parson" Davies received yesterday from Jack Kuifton, the so-called English eighty-

you at New York." This is business, and if either Knifton or state that the Bulgarian negotiations are at a Smith arrive in this country it will be

to Americans by throwing open the doors year are preparing to leave and settle in of her palace wider to Americans than to British Columbia early in the spring. It is any other nationality. She puts them on hoped in this way to relieve the great distress ing circular issued by the United States Lega- and at the same time populate British

> and for this reason you will prevent the landing of any Chinaman, whether he come of his own account or to work for others."

in Afghanistan the belief is growing in syndicate operating for a rise. Realiza winter wheat in enormous quantities. The tions caused a relapse toward the close, firm has been requested to bid on furnishing but, with the exception of Suez canal, shares, 200,000 bushels of oats, and their figures which fell 7 francs, all securities closed have been forwarded to their agent at New New York, February 19th.-Judge Edwards Pierrepont returned yesterday from London, February 23rd .- The British bark France, where he had gone to arrange the

that he has been approached by an accredited

compartment full of water, having been in do Talleyrand on January 25th. He succollision with the steamer Weatherall, which ceeded in convincing the French lawyers that it was not illegal to vest absolutely in Brussels, February 23rd. -At Marchiennes- Mrs. Stevens the control of her own propau-Pont to-day two immense flywheels in the erty, and carried every point to his own Brijon rolling mills flew into fragments, and Mrs. Stevens' satisfaction. He says totally wrecking the works. Thirty-five that the scandal which gathered about the workmen were injured, three of whom have friendship of Mrs. Stevens and the Marquis was unfounded. The Marquis was a friend New York, February 23rd.—The Star's of Mr. Stevens, who introduced him to his London-correspondent states that Cham- house, where he soon became a friend of berlain has handed Gladstone it memorandum Mrs. Stevens with the approval of her husof his views on home rule, in which he favors band. When Mrs. Stevens went to Europe her husband recommended her to the care

London, February 23rd .- French and Ger- of the Marquis. During her stay in Paris man Government agents are visiting all the her husband corresponded with her and the fairs in the north of England, making large Marquis, and even now the kindliest relations purchases of horses suitable for military exist between them. The Judge confirms the report that the Marquis' father transferred to him the title of the Duc de Dino. New York, February 2nd.—A cable special

from London says: The loathing excited by the Colin Campbell case, and the probability of a renewal of it, has had at On the Berlin Bourse during the week least one beneficial influence-it is likely to deter Lord and Lady Brooke at the last Bulgarians or the Turks, the three Powers general improvement, Hungarian rentes rising tion for divorce, on which quite lately and Oriental Steamship Companies would having arrived, as represented, at a complete live sighths per cent on the day, and other they were so eagerly bent. It is asserted that, yielding to the persuasion of friends, they are about to arrange matters privately, and in corroboration of this statement it is known that the pair New York, February 21st.—The Star's have been seen openly together within-the-London cable of February 20th says: At past week on several occasions in War-Saturday's Cabinet council the ruling of the wickshire, where Lord Brooke has his es-Vieuna, February 20th .- The Council of Speaker on the jury-packing motion was tates. On the other hand, both in forensic War met again on Saturday. The officers' discussed. After considerable divergence of circles and in society, the rumor is gainnipeg and Manitoba last year. Other than reserve is forbidden to leave the country opinion, it was eventually agreed to add to ing ground that a marriage even more beloss to the American steamers and the rail- The French officers are buying horses in the rules a cloture clause further defining fore the world is about to be legally disthe duties of the Speaker in relation there-solved. Sir Charles Beresford is again one Odessa, February 20th,-An extensive plot to. This will sufford those who fear the of those mentioned as being the disturbing has been discovered for a Polish rising in the abuse of the high office held by Peel an element to the conjugal peace, while the event of a Russo-Austrian or Russo-German opportunity to challenge the action of political notoriety of a noble nusband, latter-New York, February 19th.—It is stated at war. Many imperial officials are implicated. the Government and will probably bring out ly enhanced by Ministerial changes and the Gladstone. The whole question is exciting foreign nationality of his handsome wife, bid New York, February 21st. The Star's unprecedented interest and for the moment fair to carry the scandal into both hemis-

> New York, February 20th.—A cable special from London says: The King of Spain put"on his first short frock. He can walk a little now, and to be hospitable he will distributo handsome memorandum books to all the children who come. Two grandsons of the Emperor of Brazil, and sous of the Princess Imperial are to be there.

Rome, February 23rd, -Two shocks of New York, Febrary 21st.—A London cable carthquake were felt at Nice at 6 o'clock this morning. Houses rocked, walls cracked, and in some cases frail tenements were thrown to the ground. People rushed from their houses. and fell upon their knees in the streets, pray-Visitors to the city have become thoroughly frightened and are leaving. Many persons were injured by falling debris! Much alarm is felt lest there be a recurrence of the shock. The Prince of Wales, who was in Nice a few daysago witnessing the festivals which precede the lenten season, had taken his departure and was safe at Cannes. Shocks were also felt at Monte Carlo and Monaco, at which places they were so severe that rocks were detached from the cliffs and precipitated into the son. The disturbances extended as far as Genoa.

At Nice the earthquake shocks caused an awful surprise to the crowds of maskble special of the 22d says: The Conserva-standstill, England is charged by Russia speedily settled whether John L. Sullivan is ers returning home from the carmival draggled by the night's exercises, and looking dull and dreary under the glare of the morning sunlight. The first shook created an immediate panic. Women screamed in terror, and there was a wild rush in all directions for safety from what every one thought was an impending calamity. The barking of dogs and the clanging of church bells added to the momentary terror. The people first rushed to the church of Notre Dame and besieged the confessionals. The dramatic scene was presented of many strong men on their knees praying. Then came the New York, February 20th.—Advices under second shock, and terror was depicted on late of February 8th from Costa Rica say overy face. The praying crowds hastened that the Minister of the Interior and outside for safety, troops were called out to

To-day there has been a blue, cloudless mons on the first point, and on the second tions to court entertainments, nor can hibit the entry into the republic of Chinese, sky and warm sun. A technical inspection will be necessary to discover the extent of damage to property. One lady jumped from a window in terror when the first Melbourne, February 19th.—Tonga officials shock came, and now lies in a precarious accuse many Wesleyan native students on condition. The Mayor to-day expressed the island with being implicated in the Baker the opinion that no more shocks were outrages and plotting the murder of the King likely to occur. He enjoined the people to with the object of making his nephew chief. remain calm. Several slight shocks were felt by only forty majority and they had a the different groups. The result was a New York, February 9th .- The Tribune's in Rome, but no serious damage was done. weak candidate, while the Liberals had a shower of remonstrances, which con-Boston special says: D. J. Lawler of East At Leghorn the earthquake had a strong strong one in Slagg. But it is the vinced him that it was useless to hope for a Boston has nearly completed a design for undulatory movement, accompanied by an biguess of Slag's majority and the large majority in the Chambers. His resignation a schooner-yacht for Mr. Potter, a resident under-ground rumbling, and lasted twolve increase in the Liberal vote which con-leaves the situation most complicated; Signor of London. The new vacht is to be 120 seconds. At Genoa, Turin and Milan the founds the Tory manager. They saddle it Baicheris has been summoned by the King. | feet over all, twenty-four feet beam and effects were similar. At Luci the shock lasted mostly, as usual, on the rich. T. P. O'Connor, Trinidad (Co.), February 23rd .- A cave- twelve feet draught. She will be a thorough forty seconds. At Geneva it lasted one

done to property.

area. The first shock occurred at 6.:30 and subject. Gladstone's line was to favor a gress to the fullest extent that may seem question. The Sultan declined positively the last at 10 A.M. Up to the present time reform legislative machine in theory, but consistent, and desiring the resiliation to to commit himself in any way until Salisthe night in the open air.

Vimes, Privai, Valence, Genoble and Lyons. ward tending towards legislative efficiency. line steamship Wisconsin from Liverpool rules to-morrow. The resolution will be The gendarmerie barracks at Cologne collapsed, and several persons were killed or injured. is followed by an article in the News, which teen miles east of Fire island. The strand-only to urgent Government business. The Business is suspended almost everywhere.

pers here have called attention to the fact of the Canadian version of disputed facts. vailed during the night lifted. She is hard These clauses give power to the Speaker to that several days ago was published a state- No serious discussion of the subject is on the beach and a heavy sea is running, check offensive language, whether by inment that the annual eclipse of the sun, attempted there or elsewhere. visible in the southern hemisphere, would be | New York, February 23rd.-A Tribune vessel from the beach, but her passengers and etition of the offense being suspension for accompanied by extremely strong seismic plie- London cable special of the 22nd says: mails are said to be safe. nomenas, owing to the coincident influence Gladstone and Chamberlain met last night Later.—The steamer Wisconsin lost her any time on motion, and the motion may of the sur and moon on the earth.

of the Holy Sacrament at Nice died from the east, especially in Greece.

quake was much less serious in France passed the House: than in Italy, the panic here was excessive. The people were depressed by the after the passage of this Act the United States carnival dissipations, and their imagina- trade dollars, if not defaced, mutilated or stamped. tions painted everything in the darkest shall be received at the office of the Treasurer of colors. Exorbitant rates are charged for the United States, in exchange for a like amount, all conveyances, owing to the crush of visitors who desire to leave, fearing a re- dollars received by, paid to or deposited with the newal of shocks to-night. Nobody dures to Treasurer or any Assistant Treasurer or the sleep in houses. Wagons, carriages, ships and National Depository of the United States, shall not in New York, completing arrangements for a few days. Though reticont concerning all other available conveyances are seized at high prices. The streets are filled with people the hotels and are sitting in long rows on discretion of the Treasury; provided that trade Horn, and run between Vancouver and itable between Germany and France and chairs in the streets. The bell at St. Augustine's Church, Nice, fell.

concerning earthquakes in the south of Europe laws and parts of laws authorizing the coinage and elections show the surprising fact that the this morning state that two violent shocks were felt at Toulon at 6 o'clock. The first shock was of fifteen seconds' duration and the second of twelve seconds. The movement was west to east! At Cannes three shocks were felt at the same hour. The first shock, which was very violent lasted for a minute; the second and third shocks were not as heavy as the first. Many persons at this place rushed to the seashore for safety. Nobody was injured. At Avignon three shocks were experienced between 6 and 8 o'clock. The first shock was very violent and awakened everybody in the place. Several shocks were felt at Geneva at 6

day, says many casualties were caused by Moreover, the cost of reproducing the lish and German Minister's have had the earthquake this morning. People are statue in bronze, with suitable pedestal, number of conferences of late with Secpanic-stricken, and the entire population is is estimated at not less than \$60,000 retary Bayard regarding the situation of in the streets. The railway station is Nobody has yet the least idea whether, affairs in the Samoan islands. These genbesieged by visitors, who are anxious to leave after paying this large sum, any surplus of themen disclaim any intention on the part at the first chance that offers. Two houses, the woman's subscription will remain for of their respective Governments to asin the rains of these buildings.

3000 persons were killed by being buried sums collected to Lady Londonderry. in the ruins of falling buildings. Railway New York, February 23rd.—The Tribune's ly to their legitimate duty and leave King iterates its campaign yarn about American traffic is suspended beyond Savons. The London cable special of the 22nd says: Malieto to manage his affairs numblested. gold being used to help the Liberal elections

At Genoa the shock was very violent. The Ducal palace and many houses were seriously damaged. The enormous crowd at the Carlo Felice Theater to witness the gala performance, were greatly alarmed when the shock came. At Turin the churches suffered severely. In the neighborhood of Dordigan many houses fell, killing many persons.

An official dispatch from Cannes says that no injury was done to life or property tion on Sundays. A conservative organ there, but that a great panio prevailed.

the whole of the Italian Riviera at Noli, in the park and boating on the Thames, on the Gulf of Genoa and not far from except that the poor classes can afford one Sarona. Several houses fell and forty-five and not the other, and whether he would persons were killed and thirty injured at close the rivers on Sunday if he could. Onegli. Also on the Gulf of Genos, at Disriomarino, near Ongeli, scores of people London cable special says: The excitewere killed and hundreds injured. Fully ment in Paris on the corn duties question one-third of the town was destroyed.

ing the Riviera was crowded with English force the hands of the Government, deand American tourists and persons of dis- clared that further pressure will be answered tinction. When the first shock occurred by the Cabinet making it a question of conthe streets of Nice were fairly thronged fidence. The Government is not prepared to with persons in ballroom costumes returning | deal with the subject at present. It admits to their homes from the last carnival of the the distress among the agricultural interests, winter senson. To these the earthquakes and will undertake to consider measures for came with peculiar terror. The shock was alleviating it, but refuse point blank to felt at Savona, near Genoa, and a number of demoralize the national finances with exhouses were wrecked and eleven persons periments dictated by agitators. killed at that place:

The Prince of Wales being at Cames. the Queen became exceedingly anxious concerning him. When she learned of the earthquake her Majesty at once telegraphed to him. The Prince immediately telegraphed reassuring her, simply saying that he was well and uninjured. The Government, in consideration of the popular concern about the safety of the Prince, have requested him by telegraph to return to England, as soon as he can conveniently, to

allay anxiety. New York, February 23rd.—A London cable special of the 22d says: The Conservative meeting at the Foreign Office to-day was chiefly remarkable for the warm reception given to Goschen and a total absence of any protest or entreaty in behalf of Bayard has not as yet transmitted to the Lord Randolph Churchill. If the latter has a Senate the Chinese treaty that has been following among the members of the House of mentioned so frequently. It is too late Commons, they did not think the occasion a good one for declaring themselves, and Lord under the treaty if it should be sent to the Saliebury had everything his own way. Indeed, the meeting had no other object than to matter of restricting Chinese legislation will advertise the good state of discipline of the have to go over to the next Congress. Tory party. The Leader wished to satisfy himself that his colleagues in the Lower Cleveland special says: For three months danger without definite aims, whereas Turkey, structed to shelter 100,000 men, prepara-House would be supported cordially in the local Custom house authorities have France and Russia are united on the tion are being made to shelter a similartheir own proposals for procedure, and sent almost daily reports to Washington one vital issue of driving England out number around Belford. We have, beyond to discover how much the alleged discon- about dealing with Canadian fishermen, of Egypt. Other Tory journals make simi- doubt, to deal with nothing less than the tent with the policy of the Government and now the owners of large steam crafts are lar outspoken references to the situation, strengthening of the French line to enable amounted to. The meeting was unanimous asked for a full description of each vessel, and call on the Government to concentrate them at the beginning of hostilities to throw on the first point, and on the second nobody how much room there is in each for bunks, its efforts on the retextion of the Suez a large force across the frontier, and thus cared to go beyond a hint in favor of more and other like accommodations for passengers. I amal delta.

the general telegraph offices were soon Speaker. Thus a tone of timidity is all fish. crowded. Slight shocks were felt at ways heard when anything is brought for New York, February 16th.—The Guion notice that he will move the procedure

at dinner at a well-known club in St. rudder and rudder-post, but otherwise is in be put forthwith and decided without London, February 24th.—Two sharp shocks James street. It was in no sense a dinner good condition. She was floated at 2:40 amendment or debate. Many of the timewere felt in Corsica. It is reported that of reconciliation, nor yet a political din- o'clock this afternoon and proceeded to New honored rules supposed to secure a ventilaseveral persons were killed at Mentone, where ner. No politics were discussed, home rule York. St. Michael's Church was damaged and the not being mentioned. Chamberlain talked Postoffice wrecked. An inmate of the Convent | with Gladstone chiefly about his late tour in

Washington, February 19th.—The follow-Nice, February 23rd.—Although the earth- ing is the text of the Trade-Dollar bill as it

Be it enacted, etc., that for a period six months dollar for dollar, of standard silver dollars or subsidiary coins of the United States; that trade the expense of the United States shall be transmitted to the coinage mint and coined into dollars received under this Act shall not be Australia. counted as a part of the silver bullion required to be purchased and coined into standard dollars, London, Feb. 23rd -- Further dispatches required by the Act of February 28, 1878; that all

New York, February 23rd.—A London cable special of the 22d says: The Queen has taken a new departure with reference to the women's jubilee subscription, and lins decided, in spite of some strong protests, to use the money for a replica of Marochette's equestrian statue of Prince Albert at Glasgow. The Queen intends the replica to be erected in Windsor Park probably near Cumberland Lodge. Some of those most active in promoting the subscription remark mournfully that they cannot see how the Queen's jubilee can be properly commemorated by the setting up far from London of this mounted figure of her excellent busband, A dispatch from Nice, dated noon to now dead a quarter of a century. one in Steetiene street and one in St. Philippe charitable or any other purposes. The same a protectorate over the islands. street, and the Maison Bourke were destroyed amount notually received thus far is small, They have suggested that in view of the by the earthquake. Three persons are buried but the most of the subscription, papers are fact that the present Consuls at Apia have Further details from Riveiera increase the money from Ireland, Ulater excepted. The nal troubless there, it would be better to redisaster. At Cervo, near Diano, Marinr. Ulster ladies insisted on paying in all the lieve them and fill their places with new

prisoners in the Government jail at Final- Another Lord's day observance contro- It is also said in this connection that the next in Canada. It claims that the Disston Saw bergo, alarmed by the earthquake, attempted versy is imminent. The Duke of Cam- Consul to Apia will not be a Californian, but Company of Philadelphia sent money for the to escape, but were overpowered by the bridge, in his capacity as Ranger of Hyde that he will be taken from one of the Eastern purpose. Jacob Disston denies the state-Park, and David Plunkett, as First Com- States. missioner of Works, have given their joint assent to the opening of the Serpentine and all other waters in all the London parks for boating on Sunday afternoons after 2 o'clock. A note of opposition was instantly heard

from the more bitter Sabbatarians. Henry J. Atkins, member for Bolton, has given notice that he will move that the House does not wish the people to be allowed to indulge in this form of recreacomes promptly to the resone and asks At-The earthquake this morning devasted kins what distinction there is between boating

New York, February 22nd .- The Star's runs higher than ever. M. Goblet, speak-At the time of the earthquake this morn- ing of the efforts of the protectionists to

London, February 22nd .-- Advice from Zanzibar state that Portuguese men-of-war, by order of the Governor of Mozambique, have seized the Sultan's steamer Kilva, at Tongi, and towed her to Mozambique.

Washington, February 23rd,—Attorney-General Garland has given an opinion to the State Department that the Chinese Restriction Act does not apply to Chinese women who accompany other immigrants to this country in the capacity of nurses or servants.

Pittsburg, February 18th.—Horse-dealers bills. here discredit the report that English agents have been making large purchases of horses in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Kentucky for shipment to Canada, but admit that the price has advanced 25 per cent.

Washington, February 18th. - Secretary now to secure any Chinese legislation Senate and ratified at once, and the whole

has occurred in Genoa, Pavia, Lucia, Oueo, ed in advance by declaring for a strong policy 2,000 delegates, representing the fisheries graphed abroad relating to the Egyptian Albiaselo, Poto, Maurizis, Oneglia and Nolin. and he is never at a loss for forcible words. interests of the Atlantic coast from Maine subvention are based on misrepresenta-At Savonio eight persons were killed and The first night of the debate on the Pro- to Virginia, met here to-day and organized tion. The facts are as follow; Sir Henry fifteen others injured. Immense damage was cedure gives no decisive indication of what under the name of the National Fishery Drummond Wolff, Special Commissioner is coming, though the House of Com- Union. Resolutions were adopted indors- to Turkey, has failed to bring about a The shocks affect a wide and eccentric. mons devoted more than six bours to the ing the retaliatory measures before Con- friendly understanding on the Egyptian accounts are vague and conflicting, but to oppose the Ministerial measure on be so proclaimed that it will give an op- bury consented to give satisfactory assurthere seems to have been no damage in points of delay. Parnell felt bound to re- portunity to show the world that we are saces as to the date of the British withinland towns. The earthquake was felt sist a policy which further narrows the power not dependent on Canada for fishing drawal from Egypt. Salisbary's reply on throughout Ligouri and Piedmont. The of the minority for obstruction, and he warned grounds or for support. The resolutions this point was not considered satisfactory wires are broken and news travels slowly. the Conservatives that the time would come deprecate any attempt to create warlike by the Sultan's advisors. Sir Henry Drum-The people everywhere are proparing to spend when they would regret giving the major- feeling and trust to the good sense of the mond Wolff was then instructed to notify the ity the means of carrying a Radical meas- citizens of both Governments for a just and Sultan that England had reached the limit of Paris, February 23rd.—The news of the ure over the head of the Tory opposition, reasonable settlement. The resolutions also concession and had no further assurances to earthquake at first was disbelieved. 'When Old parliamentary hands like Samuel ask our Government to uphold its dignity as give, and unless the proposals laid before his confirmed it caused the greatest sensations Whitebread think it a mistake to enlarge a nation and domand the immediate enact. Imperial Majesty be agreed to by the signatory of anxiety over the fates of friends, and the powers and responsibilities of the ment of a high protective duty on imported Powers the subvention would be withdrawn,

The publication of the Fisheries Blue Book for New York, is ashore at Outer bar, fif- proceeded with from day to day, subject is rather flippant in tone, not abounding in ed vessel was discovered at 8:35 o'clock sting of the entire series of rules lies in Berlin, February 23th.—Some of the pa- knowledge, and credulous in its acceptance this morning, when the fog that had pre- the clauses relating to offensive language. No communication has yet been had with the terruption or debate, the penalty for a ren-

New York, February 17th.-The Turf, bought Mand S. when she was only four country brought to a stand, are swept bodily years old for the late William H. Vanderbilt, has just offered Robert Bonner, on behalf of a gentleman of large wealth, \$100,000 in Lorme, an energetic young Frenchman cash for the Queen of the Turf. Bonner who for nearly a year has been endoaypaid \$40,000 for Mand S. but refuses to sell oring to interest American capitalists in at any price.

Ottawa special of the 18th says: It is learned a few months in France. His stay in that Lucius P. Tuttle, passenger and freight America will be brief. He has made armanager of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, is rangements for sailing back to Europe in be paid out, or in any other manner issued, but at the purchase of the fastest steamship of the his railroad project, he says: "Neither Canard line. The vessel will be dispatched Germans nor Englishmen will get there to Vancouver, British Columbia, via Cape before me." He believes that war is inev-

New York, February 18th .- The Post' Berlin dispatch says: Preparations for the issuance of United States trade dollars are hereby workingmen, especially the social Democrats, everywhere indorse the German Liberal candidates, with the probable effect of electing those favorable to the septennate. On the other hand, the reaction against Cardinal Jacobini's letter gains force, and protests are arising against the Pope's interfering in German local politics. A third paper manifesto is now expected, which, if it comes, will prove the utter uselessness of the other two.

> Gazette, Prince Bismarck's organ, says that opening of hostilities. the Reichstag will be again dissolved unless the Government secures a majority in the coming elections.

Washington, February 18th.—The Engstill out. No effort is made to procure been more or less concerned in the inter-

Washington, February 18th.—The Secretary of the Interior laid before the House yesterday the bill of Kings county, W. T for expenses incurred in putting down the Chinese riots of 1885-6. The amount \$4,168.77, and is heartily indersed by Watson C. Squire, Governor, who bases the legality of the claim against the Government on two telegrams sent by Secretary Lamar, felling him to use vigorous and effective measures in putting down the disturbance that was at that time prevalent in Seattle and in Kings county, but not to invoke Federal interference unless imperatively demanded. "Vigorous measures" were evidently taken at once. The bills presented by one hardware firm alone showed the purchase for "Government use" of Winchester rifles and shotguns to the amount of \$558.59. These purchases were strung along through the month of February, and every day or two a bill for revolvers cartridges and guns was presented. In addition to the above there was a bill for shotgans and rifles of \$578 55, and still later of revolvers and cartridges of \$585 25. A charge is also made for commissary stores of \$992 28, the pay of Company D, \$668 and the pay of Company B, \$648. For clerical services rendered the Governor and Provost Marshal, some small charges are made. The Governor says there is no provision for the pay of the men who served in the National Guard, but as those men are nearly all laboring men, whose families are dependent upon them, he thinks they ought to be paid. It shows that Kings county would have a great burden to bear if it was compelled to pay the bill, and inasmuch as the riots were successfully put down and the, lives and property of many Chinamen saved

New York, February 17th .- The Star's cable special from London of February 16th says: The Egyptian question, for the moment, obscures all others. Lord Salisbary's policy is denounced by his own supporters as playing into French hands, estranging Turkey and strengthening Russia's position on the Bosphorus. The Standard, the personal organ of a group of the Prime Minister's colleagues, again reviewing the situation—which it seriously declares to be critical-furiously attacks says: The threatening character of the Lord Salisbury for keeping his policy situation across the western frontier is beveiled in such impenetrable darkness. The coming much more soute. In view of the New York, February 23rd .- The Tribung Government is described as drifting into fact that forts have already been con-

A second and severer shock of carthquake decision. This Lord Salisbury has discount. Gloucester (Massa.), February 23rd.—Over The statements published here and tele-

The First Lord of the Treasury has given a fortnight. The debate may be closed at tion of grievances and to be bulwarks of free speech, under which legislation has been Field and Farm says: Joseph Harker, who paralyzed and the business of the whole

New York, February 17th.-Baron de the construction of milroads in China, is New York, February 19th .- The Tribune's again in New York, after having been for auticipates a victory for the Frenchmen. He says: "The spirit that animates the French people is the same as that which found expression on the lips of Chanzy, who said that a Frenchman who had a spark of revenge in the remotest depths of his heart ought to be shot. The navy of France is to-day competent to cope with the navy of Germany upon any of the waters of the globe. I think we are equally ready as to armies and arms. Bismarck knows that the only thing that will solidify the empire is a foreign war, and Germany will find a pretext. How soon or how late it will come cannot be foretold. In my opinion the result of the election for the Reichstag Berlin, February 19th.—The North German will in a measure determine the day of the

> New York, February 17th.—The Star's cable special from London says: Further details of French and German forces on the Alsace-Lorraine frontiers have been received here. The exact strength of all the principal frontier garrisons is given. The total German force within what is considered striking distance of the frontier approaches 100,000 men, and the French forces, similarly situated on the other side, are slightly heavier. Estimates of French strength near the frontier, published in Berlin are shown to have been enormously exaggerated.

New York, February 17th.—Sir John Macmen, who shall be instructed to attend strict- donald's organ, the Toronto Standard, rement explicitly.

Berlin, February 18th .- Telegrams tonight state that the Pope's intervention in favor of the Army bill is explained as intended as solely in the interest of peace, and founded on the official assurance that peace will be the result of the Government's triumph at the polls.

The Spanish Government is about to prohibit the export of horses in consequence of large purchases effected for military purposes by French agents. Upward of 3000 horses for cavalry mounts have already left the country.

New York, February 19th.—The Tribune's London cable special of the 18th says: I received on the eve of publication the last sheets of the Duke of Argyle's new work, "Scotland, Past and Present," an actual volume of 350 pages, embellished with striking views of the remarkable localities in the highlands. The object of the work is to preserve the continuous development of the Scotch line through the reign of mind in government, and to vindicate the Scottish landlords against the attacks of the crofter agitators. He maintains that the right of exclusive use of land is, in its very inception, the fruit of mind, and affords. the only fulcrum on which the mind can exert its higher powers over the increase of earth during the peaceful ages which follow as the results of conquest.

In this connection the Duke, forgetting Henry George's contest for Mayoralty of New York, asserts that George, as a Californian, is one of the small group of men, less than a quarter of the population of London, who claim the exclusive use of the whole State of California imposing their own conditions upon the admishe thinks the Government should pay the sion of other men, but practicing themselves individual appropriation of land, and recognizing that in it lies the foundation of their prosperity. But the Duke is no blind devotee of ; capital. "It is not," he says, "that the wages of labor come only from realized capital. Muscular labor has the right to vindicate its own inherent contribution to values. Without its help no value can be gathered. Wages come out of work, and muscular labor . has a rightful share to a stipulated extent in the ultimate value to which it contributes."

> Berlin, February 16th.—The Nachwichten I transfer operations to German territory.

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five squares right in the teeth of the gale ricane itself did not reach this coast at all, from the north. This extraordinary tide is as scarcely a breath of wind was stirring undoubtedly due to a hurricane prevailing when the tidal wave first touched the in the West Indies. The damage to ship-coast. When its maximum was reached ping will be heavy, as half a hundred on Tuesday, however, a fierce northwestlarge steamships and sailing vessels are ern gale sprung up along the whole coast, pounding against the wharves. Two barges and at Sabine Pass the gale blew the waters from Houston, each laden with 1,000 bales of out of Lake Sabine and drove them toward cotton, are being submerged by the waves, the gulf, where the lake waters were met and the cotton will be ruined. The barometer by the great swell caused by the hurricane has fallen six points since 7 o'clock this This resulted in driving the lake waters morning. Telegraphic communication with over into the little town and submerging the the mainland will probably be entirely country for ten miles around, without suspended before morning.

northwest at the rate of fifty miles an hour. Sabine also confirms the above theory. The barometer has ceased falling, and it is As soon as the Collector of Customs at throught the storm has reached its maximum. Galveston was apprised of the disaster he

gale has prevailed here since Monday night, ceed to Sabine, and she started for that place and rough weather on the gulf is reported, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The distance to Several railroad tracks in this vicinity are Sabine is sixty miles. The Peurose cannot submerged, though but little other damage get back before to-morrow, when the details bas been done.

night was heavy along the coast and vessels the Picayune from Beaumont says: Sabino are drowned, while the remainder will die of were detained from sailing. The tide rose Pass has been nearly destroyed. About thirst, as all the water is salt. There is no higher than ever before known. The tele- twenty-seven whites and thirty negroes were way of ascertaining valuations, hence it graph office at Fort Morgan, at the entrance drowned. of the bay, was flooded, and the operator reached dry land by swimming.

New Orleans, October 13th.—Chief Operator West of the Western Union Telegraph Company has received the following message from the operator at Grange, Tex.; mail boat from Cameron parish reports that greatly feared that the list will be swelled "The town of Sabine Pass was totally destroyed by the water of Sabine river last night. There are known to be sixty-five lives lost. Last night during the overflow morged on Tuesday night, drowning thou- there are over 100 around Johnson's and a hotel, with fifteen or twenty people in it, was swept out into the bay and every one lives were lost at Leesburg or Calcasien They lost everything and are without food the site of their former homes. They are now of the inmates drowned. The captain of Pass, but the following are reported lost and clothes. a schooner from there to-day says that not at Johnson's Bayon, La.: The entire fama house is left in the whole country. Everything there was drowned." A party men came from Beaumont this evening on the train with the intention of joining the people of Orange and going down to Sabine Pass with a relief-boat. The wires have been down all day on both sides of Orange, boat Lamar was sent on Wednesday night Sabine Pass is twelve miles below Beaumont with a relief committee to Sabine Pass. on the Sabine river.

county, Texas, about sixty-six miles northeast committee, says, there are many persons in of Galveston, on the gulf of Mexico, and at the vicinity of Sabine Pass who are utterly the mouth of the Sabine river.

Sabine Pass, at the mouth of the Sabine mont, and he will distribute through comriver, the dividing line between Louisiana and mittees whatever is sent to him. Out of Texas, was entirely washed away by the terrific more than 150 houses in the village less storm of tuesday night. Over fifty lives are re- than six remain standing, and they are ported lost out of a total population of 200. Tele- ruined. Wives and children were swept by heavy logs being driven against them. graphic communication with all points outside away and drowned in the presence of their of Texas was nearly suspended last night, owing husbands and fathers, who were powerless to storms in Louisians, Arkansas and the Indian Nation. The following account of the great disaster at Sabine Pass was telegraphed last night to Houston from Beaumout: Our town is in a state of intense excitement at the news just received from Sabine Pass of loss of life and destruction of property in that place from the high water. We have now no telegraphic communication with Sabine Pass, but an engine arrived here to-night over the East Railway that left there about 6 o'clock. Two citizens who rowed in a small boat across an expanse of several miles from the town of Sabine Pass to the railroad track came in on an engine and gave a heart-rending account of the situation there. They say that the waters began to invade the town from the gulf and the lake together at about 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, and rose with unprecedented rapidity. The citizens of the doomed place did not realize their immiment danger until it was too late to escape. When safety by flight was recognized as being out of the question, the people who were situated so they could do so betook Captain Stewart, Mrs. Whiting, John Wil. you walk with me? The piece of roof I themselves to the houses and resorts ad-son and B. Foley. The foregoing names are was on was now crumbling to pieces. judged to be the safest. The water kept all of white persons. The names of fifty-five told the little one to kiss me. She put rising, and between 4 and 9 o'clock the smaller houses began to yield to the resistless force of the waves, and not only moved from their foundations but turned con their sides and tops. A little later eavs hundreds of persons were drowned at large houses began to give way, and death by drowning seemed inevitable for every citizen of the place. With the yielding of the smaller houses, several persons who had remained in them were drowned, and when the residences by cattle crowding into the lower story, and business places began to crumble, the fatality began to double.

On the receipt of this news the citizens of Beaumont immediately began preparations for relief. The damage to property at Sabine has been very great. The wharf property of who also own the adjoining lands and were given. aiming to make Sabine Pass an important

port on the gulf coast.

day night reached Galveston to-day, and all town. The hurricane of last Sunday in animals sprang at the passers by. this time (8 p.m.) a furious gale is blowing the West Indies blew the waters with great New Orleans, Outober 16th .- Captain from the flooded district about Sabine Pass from the north at the rate of forty-five violence toward the Texas coast. This Builey, a bar pilot at Port Ends, reports that continue to arrive on every small craft miles an hour. The tide on the gulf side hurricane wave was first noticed on the coast there were twenty six lives lost during the that comes up the river. It as estimated of the island has been very high ever since Sunday morning, attaining its maximum on recent storm on the bayous leading from the by persons here who have been over the Saturday, and waves were so powerful to-Tuesday morning, and was maintained by gulf in the direction and back of the quaran-scenes of devastation at Sabine Pass, Johnday that they washed along the streets for the impetus of the water behind. The hur-tine station.

moment's notice. This account of the disas-The gale has increased in velocity, and at ter is confirmed by our experience here with frightened people into the attics and upon this hour, (10.30 p.m.), is blowing from the the same gale, and all information from

New Orleans, October 12th.—A severe ordered the Government ing Penrose to proof this awful disaster will be known.

The Times-Democrat's Lake Charles (La.) and abandoned. special says: The loss of property along storm of Tuesday night, was fearful. The the water at Calcasien Pass was eight sands of cattle and ruining the crops. No ilies of Alfred Lambert, Marion Lukes, have not been ascertained.

New Orleans, October 15th.—The steam-The party returned to Benumont, Tex., to-Sabine Pass is a small village of Jefferson day. Dr. P. B. Calhoun, one of the relief destitute, being without clothing to cover Galveston (Tex.), October 14th.-Later re-their nakedness. He asks aid for the desports confirm the statement that the town of titute. Dr. Calhoun is Mayor of Beauto save them. Waves broke against the lighthouse fifty feet high, tearing out windows at the very top of the structure. Corpses have been picked up a distance of thirty miles from the scene of the disaster. Lamar took on board a cargo of food, blankets and clothing, and also a fresh relief committee, and at daylight this morning started down the Neches to succor the unfortunate. She will probably reach here on her return trip about midnight to-night. The pecuniary damage at Sabine, including that to the Government works, will aggregate nearly \$6,000,000, as many plan tations sustained serious injury.

The latest list of those known to have been drowned is Mrs. A. W. Junke, Charles gradually breaking to pieces. First one W. Junke, Mrs. P. F. McDonnaugh, Miss McDonnaugh, Mrs. Columbus Martee and youngest, and soon my wife said, 'Goodchild, Mrs. Pomeroy and three children, by, husband, I am going.' I could not Mrs. G. Pomeroy and child, Mrs. Mulligan and four children, Mrs. Von Duny and her broke and she sank before my eyes. three children, O. F. Brown Miss Mahala Chambers. Homer King, wife and child, two children of William Shaw, a child of colored victims have not been aggertained .-

An Orange, Tex., special to the Times-Democrat says: Your correspondent, who was wave dashed us off and I saw her no with the relief party on the steamboat Lamar. Johnson bayou. The destruction of property among these lagoons are the bodies of my was great, including thousands of head of livestock. At Cameron beach the hotel was seriously threatened, but was saved the people have suffered during the past thereby preventing the building from floating

Galveston, October 12th.—The storm rivers Neeches and Sabine. It was this stump-tailed moccasins, larger than a man's homeless, penniless-and-without clothing, which was reported by the Signal Service lake, according to the most experienced arm. Wildcats also rushed pellmell upon the We now have to take care of 210 persons as entering the gulf of Mexico last Satur-navigators on this coast, that destroyed the pedestrians, while coons and every variety of from that section."

New Orleans, October 16th .- It is now learned that over eighty-five of the inhabitants of Johnson's Bayon lost their lives in the storm. Forty of their bodies have been recovered and consigned to graves in the shell reefs, while the decomposing festering in the marshes. Radford was very thickly settled, and when the storm homes and waited with bated breath the fate which they foresaw. The water began rising, the wind swept through the lower stories of the buildings, driving the roofs. By 10 o'clock the first ridge; which was twelve feet above the sea level, was ten feet under water, and house after house feel in or was swept away, either burying the doomed people in the debris or harling them into the hissing waters The villages of Radford and Johnson's Bayon were destroyed as completely as it an invading army had done the work. For twelve hours the storm raged. Of 8,000 head Mobile, October 12th.—The storm last New Orleans, October 14th.—A special to of stock which once the bayou boasted, 6,000 suffices to say that the towns are destroyed

> Galveston, October 16th.—Reports from by the receding waters. Cameron parish, on the gulf coast, and for Johnson's Bayou bring the terrible intellisome distance west of Sabine Pass, by the gence that eighty-five persons are now known to have been lost in that place, and it is a hundred or more. This morning the total feet deep at the lighthouse, and that the of victims of the hurricane was fully 200. Radford, is described as something awful.

swept out of existence. There are 127 tion of the survivors. floating wreckage and then seeing them killed friends.

was demented and could not tell her name.

When the Government tug Penrose reached Sabide yesterday Columbus Martee was found rowing around the delta looking for the bodies of his family. He said: "Myself, wife and three children were clinging to a floating roof, which was went and then another. I was holding the reach her. The piece of roof supporting held on to the youngest child, named Pearl, some time longer. The child, addressing me, said, Papa, I am tired; won' both her little arms around my neck and more." He was pressed to go on board the Penrose, but refused, saying: wife and children, and here will I stop until I can find them." No tongue can tell how

The Emily A. and relief party for Johnson's as the track allowed, returned here at 8 p.m. were much damaged. and four white.

Captain F. A. Hyatt and William Guy re- Galveston. October 17th .- The following The British bark Rutland, Captain Casey port that they had a singular experience as special to the Associated Press from Orange, from Quebec, September 15th, for Greenock, The village of Sabine Pass is located at members of the relief committee. On their Tex, gives the latest particulars regarding the was abandoned off Lundy island. The mate the month of the Sabine river, within half way to the pass a train in which they were great disaster at Johnson's Bayon and Sabine and carpenter were drowned. The other mile of the extreme point jutting from travelling stopped on a dump five miles from Pass. "The steamer Emily P. returned at 3 members of the crew were rescued and landed the Texas side. The town lies only four town. The water all around this neck of o'clock this afternoon, bringing 160 addition at Falmouth. feet above the mean tide mark, and is land was fully eight feet deep. The hands al sufferers from Johnson's Bayon, who are Dublin, October 18th.-The branches of trance to Lake Sabine is a mile and a half ered the dump for a distance of five miles. wharf by our relief committee, who are doing ries regarding the condition of the farms ing into the basin from the two navigable twisting serpents, many of them the deadly who are waiting there and who are now heavy fall in stocks has rendered the farmers

Beaumont (Tex.), October 17th .- Refugees son's Bayou and Taylor's Bayou, that the death list will exceed 250 souls. Eightyfive corpses have been recovered and buried around Johnson's Bayon, and fiftyfour bodies thus far have been buried at Sabine. while only six persons are still missing at Sabine and these are of course dead as it would corpses of the remaining forty-five lie be impossible for any human being to survive this long in the swamp and bayous without food or shelter. An examination of the began Tuesday everybody took to their country back of Sabine and immediately in the vicinity of Beaumont shows that salt water came back from the coast fully forty miles through the swamps and hundreds of the thousands of acres are still submerged by the water that was forced back, and has no outlet. This fact makes search for the bodies very difficult.

> The carcases of thousands of drowned cattle, hogs, horses and fowl are strewn everywhere, and clouds of seagulis and buzzards hover over the desolate country for an area of thirty square miles. It is known that the number of sufferers around Johnson's Bayou who have lost everything will reach 1,200, while the Sabine sufferers number 300, one half of whom are now in Beaumont. Parties who returned to-day from Johnson's Bayon district say that 60 persons are still missing there, and the searching parties have almost reached the conclusion that many of those missing were drowned and their bodies carried out to sea

Galveston, October 18th.—The committee of citizens who left here Saturday night on the tughoat Estelle, which has a schooner in tow, carrying \$1,000 worth of provisions for the sufferers at Sabine Pass and Johnson Bayon, returned at a late entire country east and west was sub-The destitution of the survivors, of whom hour last night. They reached Sabine Pass early Sunday morning and found about 100 bersons still living there, reluctant to leave occupying the few houses that have withstood - Further particulars of the great disaster thestorm. One half the provisious and clothing George Striever, L. Charles Blanheit, Raylant Sabine Pass and Johnson's Bayou are taken up by the committee were distributed ford Gray and two families by rame of constantly being received. The situation among these sufferers, who were in great Francsware, besides many others whose names has not been exaggerated in the least. A need of everything. The remainder was correspondent, who has just returned sent up to Johnson Bayou by the barge from Sabine Pass, telegraphs from Orange Topsy, as the tide and channel would not that Turkey buzzards are scaring over permit of the Estelle going up the river. Sabine for miles seeking for the bodies of The committee is unanimous in their persons and animals. The town has been statements regarding the absolute destitupersons missing and supposed to be dead, never saw such suffering for the common Only about twenty-fixe bodies have thus necessities of life as existed at Sabine Pass far been recovered. Innumerable touch- and Johnson Bayon. The committee asing and heartrending incidents of the certained that the total number of persons storm are related by survivors. One house who lost their lives was 130, and of these containing fourteen colored persons was seen sixty-four were colored and thirty-eight to go down with a crash and every one of whites. Only sixty-five bodies thus far have them was lost. Incidents are related of been recovered and buried. Scouring parties Lusbands lashing their wives and children to continue to hunt for the bodies of missing

The local relief committee visited Sa-The damage to property can only be es-bine Pass and went as far as the entrance timated by the value of the town, for all is to Johnson's Bayou. They brought back lost. The Sabine and Texas Railroad is with them a complete list of names of the washed away for a distance of ten miles, colored people who were drowned at Ties have floated off and rails are twisted Sabine. Among the colored victims there like wires. Millions of dead fish were cast are thirty bodies still missing, while but up by the waves and thousands of birds also fifteen whites, have been recovered and strew the ground. A young woman in a interred. It is thought that some of these perfectly nudestate was found roaming around missing bodies are stuck in the mud, which on the prairie five miles from Sabine. She is several feet deep on the bettom of Sabine bayou and the river fronting the spot where the town formerly stood. Measures for the relief of the distressed are being actively pressed at Houston, Galveston and other cities.

> Buffalo, October 18th.—The fund in aid of the storm sufferers now exceeds \$1,500. A letter was received from President Cleveland this morning inclosing a check for \$100 and expressing sympathy with the distressed people. There are 105 persons being cared for by the Relief Committee and food and clothing are being liberally provided. There is considerable doubt expressed about permitting squatters to return to the island to be victims of every severe storm, and it is probable that the city will refuse to allow future occupation of that strip of beach for living purposes.

London, October 18th.—The following additional particulars of the damage caused by the recent storm have been received: The gave me a big squeeze, and just then a British steamer Arvos, Captain Whittlesey, from New York, September 29th, for Bordeaux, has been lest on Pointe de la Conbrie, at the northern mouth of the Gironde. Wreckage from the steamer and part of her

cargo are washing ashore. The British steamer Kate, Captain Durkee, from Savannah, September 29th, for Liverpool, arrived at Queenstown disabled. She Beaumont (Tex.) October 16th.—The train shipped an immonse quantity of water and off with its upper stories filled with people, which went toward Sabine yesterday as far broke twenty-five steam pipes. Her decks

bayon has arrived with sixty-two survivors. Fifty bodies were recovered on the highland The Norwegian bark Ornen, Captain Thirty-seven bodies of persons who were called Backridge, west of Sabine, and were Nielson, from Mobile, August 14th for Goole, drowned have been recovered and sixty-five buried. Six bodies of women were recovered has been towed to Cowes. She has lost her the town was owned by New York capitalists, are still missing, but their names cannot be on the west shore of the lake, two colored sails. Three of her crew died of ague and others are suffering from the malady,"

bounded by a great swamp on the west of Messrs. Heatt and Guy are blistered entirely destinte of everything that is necessary the Irish National League in counties Cork and Lake Sabine on the north. The en-from fighting snakes which literally cov- to sustain life. They were received at the and Waterford have been making inquishove the town. The lake is fifteen miles There were thousands of water moccasins all in their power to make them comfortable. in these districts and have just made a relong by ten miles in width, with an average from the overflowed district taking refuge Most of them are women and children. The port. They say that the harvests have depth of seven feet, which is always main on the narrow stretch of land, and every Emily P. will return to the bayou im-been bad, that oats are selling at from three tained by the huge volume of water pour-step across it had to be fought through mediately to bring back 150 more persons, to five shillings per barrel, and that a

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the Interior of Saxony has issued orders was wrecked in the Bristol channel and don correspondent had a talk with Colonel relative to the procedure against emigrants twenty persons were drowned. The shore is Arbuthnot, chief of the small-arms facreturning from America liable to military strewn with wreckage. The bonies washed tory at Enfield, concerning the muchservice in Saxony, and who claim to have ashore have been stripped of valuables by talked of German repeating rifle. He says the chief palaces. been naturalized in the United States. If wreckers. The Norwegian bark Fredericks- that the German Government is making there is no special reason to suspect that land, from Musquash, N. B., for Swansea, was 2000 to 3000 new guns a week, believing ed it until it was almost mature. An anarsuch persons emigrated for the purpose of wrecked off Padstow and nineteen persons that it will prove to be the most startling chist of Prague gave the first information evading the service, they will be permitted to, were drowned. The bark Alliance was also and effectual manual weapon of modern concerning the conspiracy to the authoritake up their residence in Saxony for a wrecked off Padstow and four lives were lost. warfare and will form the basis for future ties. The plotters were mostly Czecs and limited period. All such persons who give The other persons on board were saved by a experimenting in the science of close- Germans. They held secret meetings in trouble or boast of their exceptional position, lifeboat. Another large bark was seen to range gunning. Arbuthnot said that the the tayern at Panzing, where the operators or who there is reason to believe emigrated to be in terrible distress, the crew being new rifle is necessarily very heavy, and will were instructed in the use and manufacture evade the law, will be expelled from Germany haddled together on the dock. The vessel prove a severe strain on the soldier in fight. of bombs. The seizure includes numerous immediately.

of the French navy," proposes an outlay of on shore from rendering assistance. The aim beyond a distance of 500 yards. "The Another plan to obtain money was by 28,000,000 france for the construction of cries of the doomed men were heard dis- great point we are striving for here in means of a forged document to frighten mon-of-war ships, and of 12,000,000 france tiuctly by those who were watching the Enfield," said Colonel Arbuthnot, "and old ladies, at whose house the plotters would for the construction of ports of refuge. It vessel from the shore. also proposes that there shall be such con- A Norwegian bark foundered off Tintagel, is to modify the trajectory so that it may searching for counterfeit money, when they centration of the work under contracts that Wales, and her entire orew, consisting of be aimed without or almost without sights. would seize all good money upon which they it shall be completed in four years, instead of fifteen persons, perished. Ten bodies have I believe our new weapon will be the best could lay hands. The recent fire in a private nine, which is the nominal time named for been washed ashore on the Glamorgan coast, single shooting rifle produceable, but it has house was the result of an experiment with

anniversary of the Emperor William's cor- a suburb of London, after a quarrel with her and improvements are constantly being made. crats connected with the party of 200

Arnim, the insane wife of Count Arnim, drowned but one of the children. recently fled from a private asylum to the New York, October 17th - The ship Mace- duty will be charged on Cuban products Black Forest. To-day her body was found don, from Antwerp, which arrived to-day, imported into the United States under country, it was intended, if a verdict of in the river Murg.

turns for yesterday are: Trieste, sixteen lader, on fire from stem to stern. new cases and three deaths: Pesth, thirty: nine cases and twenty deaths.

the Australian carsman, has sailed from Grant. Plymouth, on his way home.

New York, October 18th,-T. P. O,Connor's cable special to the Star from London of October 17th says: The Cabinet councils to be held during the coming week are likely to lead to stormy scenes. The Ministry is badly divided on leading questions of imperial policy. On the one hand, measures which would be satisfactory to a majority of the voters in England and Scotland would estrange the Tories, and on the other side the measures contemplated are almost certain to estrange the Unionists. Either the Tory party will remain, to all outside appearances, a compact body, but internally divided, or there will be a general open split. The remnants will go over to the Unionists, leaving Gladstone at the head of a firm and unyielding majority.

Purchases under Lord Ashbourne's act continue to be furiously pushed in all parts of Ireland. The officials of the Government are working hard in all sections to make the act popular and to persuade tenants to take immediate advantage of the bill. They are apparently laboring under the mistaken notion that the emaller holders are the most dangerous cases in the country and ought to be swept away as soon as practicable, if there is to be peace in Ireland. Churchill's men are scouring the country, doing all in their power to acquire title by purchase to all such lands. The certain result of all this will be a frightful loss to the British exchequer, increased taxation, increased interest on treasury notes, or loans, and a further postponement of the long promised and frequently deferred improvement on the national balance sheet.

New York, October 18th.—a London cable special to the Star says: German bankers are still coming over loaded with Russian bonds, which will be thrown on the London markets during the coming week or sold to private surchasers. They have utterly failed to unload in German financial centers, the belief being general, in spite of official assurances, that war is probable. Most of the Powers have agreed to Russia taking separate action in Bulgaria so long as nothing is done

in the way of annexation. New York, October 18th.—The Herald's Baden Baden special of October 17th says: This afternoon I saw the Emperor as he drove in a close carriage from his residence at Villa Mesmer to visit the Countess Furstenberg and neveral other Austrian ladies at the Hotel d'Angleterre. The weather was cold, rain was falling and the wind was piercing. He looked a little paler, than when I saw him at Munich in July, but is wonderfully robust for his age. He has just now recovered from a recent slight attack of bepatic colic and biliousness, brought on by unless forced to act. If Bulgaria is really a sudden change of weather. His appetite is deserted by the Powers, as described to-night,

Chicago, October 11th. - Forty arrests were made to-day of persons who mobbed the anarchist informer Weller yesterday. They cable to the Star from London of the 15th Major Cole, one of the anarchists' jurors, many quarters tending to produce the imhas been badly frightened lately by anar- pression that the Russians are less dischist roughs, and on Thursday night, as posed than a few days ago to undertake Cole was returning from the theater, he the occupation of Bulgaria. The aim was seized by ruffians, who placed a pistol of the Russian agents is now to acquire to his head, but hearing steps approaching a paramount influence over the unjority of night declined to pay the exorbitant bill of the pliched, the next step will be to put forward physicians who attended the victims of the a Russian candidate for the vacant throne Haymarket outrage.

London, October 16th.—The gale and floods which began Thursday, night along the south and west English and Irish election of a Russian nominee would be coast continue, having extended far northward. Many reports of bridges and build- army and Government, transferring it at last, ings being swept away are constantly com- bound hand and foot, to Russia. ing in. In Ulster, Ireland, storms and floods have seriously impeded railway traffic. Many small vessels have been wrecked. The loss Newmarket over the Brethy stakes course of life ashore so far caused by the storm has | _six furlongs. Prince Saltykoff's three-

not been great. The troopship Tyne, thirty hours overdue at Plymouth, has been sighted off there, second, I. Jennings' three-year-old colt Exlaboring terribly in the storm. Great auxiety | moor third. The Prendergast stakes for twohas been entertained concerning her for the | year-olds, two thirds of a mile, was won by J.

past twenty-four hours. from Cardiff, Wales, Thursday last, was wrecked during the storm, on Caermathan There were on board at the time twenty-eight persons, nine of whom were rescued. Nineteen others, among whom were the captain and officers, left in a boat, and but two succeeded in reaching the shore alive, the others, seventeen in number,

perished. During last night there were many collisions and wrecks. A number of Channel fishing-boats were stranded. The beach at landowners held a meeting at Posen to-day by suppressed the plot is shown to have captured and taken back. They shot at

wrecked off Skellings island, on the south- Government to Germanize the Polish provirested. On examination the prisoners showed Consul Brigham is preparing a report of his west coast of Ireland. She was being towed inces.

telling of the disastrous effects of the re- Judgment was deferred. Berlin, October 18th-The Minister of cent harricane. The British ship Mallery | New York, October 16th.-The Sun's-Lonfoundered this morning, and it is believed ing at close quarters. It will probably daggers and bombs, dynamite, and five bot-Paris, October 18th .- A bill introduced by that from a dozen to twenty persons were equal the Martini-Henry rifle in effective- the for firing buildings. printing and forgthe Minister of Marine for the "completion drowned. The gale prevented the people ness, but it will not allow accurate ing implements and a variety of disguises.

onation and the fifty-fifth anniversary of the busband, left her home, taking her five little birth of the Crown Prince Frederick William children with her. She went to the Thames London cable special says: A telegram were observed to-day by the imperial family. river at Fulham and threw herself and the from Madrid published here this morning acquitted. The jury that tried them was Berlin, October 18th.—The Countess Von five children into the water. All were states that the signing of a decree by Cleve-

Vienna, October 18th.—The cholera re- a vessel of about 1300 tons, apparently oil-

nounces that it has paid the bills of Holmes London, October 18th.-William Beach, & Co. for embalming the body of General American goods on the highest column of

> curred on the stage of the Alexander Execution further powers of retaliation. Musee, on the Bowery, last evening. The New York, October 12th.-The World's bride was Princess Lucy, 19 years old, Berlin special of October 11th say: Count twenty-seven inches in height and twenty- Von Zyditz was to-day sentenced to nine of age. The pair stood on a small table in manie for himself in the Union army during bridesmaid was Miss Annie Bell, a profes- which relation he maintained until exposed. sional fat woman.

under a house in Sligo, Ireland. 😁 White as British Minister to Turkey.

signor Isquierdo, Bishop of Madrid, has been defeated his opponent, Teneyck. convicted and sentenced to death,-

into the streets.

Frankfort, Oct. 16th .- Meyer Karl Rothsanddenly to-day from heart disease.

peeded that the Quebec elections have resulted in the defeat of the Government. At present a number of the members sued to the beirs and next of kin of elected-are claimed by both parties. The Conservatives maintain that the vote is a tie, while the Liberals claim that they have a working majority. The relative strength of the two parties cannot be positively announced until the House meets. It is predicted by some that a coalition will be necessary in order to carry on the Govern-

New York, Oct. 15th .- O'Connor cables to the Star from London: Private reports from trustworthy sources state that the Czar keenly feels the defiant attitude of Bulgaria. He is in a state of chronic irritation and his general health has been bad. For days at a time he refuses to look at the foreign journals. He requires the strictest surveillance over the newspapers sent to the imperial palace and the selection for his perusal of those alone that support the Russian policy: all others are rigidly excluded. He sometimes suffers from severe spells of nervousness and at such periods is difficult of approach.

All Bulgaria is in the meantime in a constant fever of excitement from one end to the other, and Germany advises Austria and Russia to take immediate steps to reassure the population. From to-night's inquiries at the embassies it is thought that none of the Enropean nations will interfere, every country being equally desirons of shirking the responsibility of intervention, first-rate. He returns to Berlin on Wednesday. it is not easy to see how she can hold out much longer against the Czar.

New York, October 16th. - O'Connor's of England, should that Power persist in her opposition to the claim of Russin. [followed, by a gradual change in the national

London, October 15th .- The race for the great Challenge stakes was run to-day at year-old colt, Mephisto, won by two lengths, R. Carrington's two-year-old colt A. Craven's colt. Hugo, by half a length, the The British ship Toviotdale, which sailed Duke of Beaufort's filly Reve d'Or second, Prince Saltykoff's colt Devilshof third.

the actress. In private life she is known they say, is frightful. as Mrs. Solomon, and it is said she was destitute for some time after Solomon left her for Miss Russell.

of from 40 to 50 per cent in rents, and where shore and destroyed. All of her crew perished. Court for having had patriotic French hymns recently returned from America.

one which has engaged most of our time, make a domiciliary visit, under pretense of London, October 16th.-Mrs. Lender, wife not yet reached beyond the experimenting fire bottles. Berlin, October 18th.—The twenty-fifth of a butcher doing business in Camberwell, stage. Our committee of experts sits daily,

New York, October 17th.-The World's land by which 10 per cent additional. teons stor, which puts an end to all friendly negotiations. It asserts, more-New York, October 13th.—The Sun and over that if the United States Government persists in its determination Spain will put her tariff, and that the Cortes, which meets New York, October 13th.—A wedding oc- next month, will inevitably intrust to the

three pounds in weight. The groom was mouths' imprisonment for keeping a gam-Gen. Rheinback, who weighs forty pounds, bling house. The count served in the Prusis thirty-six inches in height and 21 years sinn army with distinction and made a the center of the stage. The bride were a the Rebellion. Returning to Germany, he train of white silk with a lace front. The was received into the most exclusive circles, London, October 11th.—In the Consolation

Petroleum springs have been discovered race at the Hendon rowing regatta to-day the first heat was won by Teemer, who beat The Sultan has accepted Sir William Porkins. In the second heat East beat Hamm. The final heat of the soulling Father Gallecte, who murdered Mon-handicap was won by Bubear, who easily

Paris, October 11th.—The Directors of The St. James Gazette says: Enthusiastic Catholic missions have been informed that socialists declare that thousands of men 700 Christians have been masacred in regularly drill in London, and, they boast Tanhoa, Tonquin; also that thirty villages that they are able to put 10,000 armed men in that district have been burned, and 9000 inhabitants are starving.

London, October 11th .- Sir Richard Barchild, head of the great banking firm, died ton, the world-renowned traveller, now in his 66th year, is thinking of resigning his Montreal, October 16th.—It is now con- Consulship at Trieste and of retiring into danger. private life.

> New York. October 12th.—Citations were Samuel J. Tilden and returnable one week from to-morrow, and there is no reason to believe objection will be made to the probate of his will. There promises, however, to gerious trouble immediately afterward. There is reason to believe that the validity of the trust will be questioned, and a claim will be put in for the payment of the debts of the New Lebanon drug factory. The attacking parties in these saits will be the creditors of the drug firm, and it is pretended that they are not assisted by those who would be benefited by a failure of the will. The plan proposed by the creditors is for them to bring suit against the nephewa for their debts. The property of the boys will be insufficient, and the creditors will levy on whatever right of action the boys have to contest the uncle's will. The creditors will take this right of action and bring suit on it. The ground will be that the clause which ullows the executors to do as they think best with the property in case the library plan is not carried through, is too general, and, therefore, the will is invalidated. Tilden's will was drawn under an old decision of the Court of Appeals, and the creditors believe under a recent decision that they can win. The law requires a certain amount of particularity in bequests, and the creditors will claim Tilden's comes outside of the law. If they succeed, the estate will be divided according to law and the

whole will fall. Num's St. Petersburg correspondent tele- vation stations throughout the world. were held without bail. The family of says: There is evidence to-night from graphs that he learns, despite official sewith redoubled fervor.

escuping by way of Cambodia. The pre- France without Alsace. cautions which are observed throughout Siberia are so stringent that the Government is persuaded that escapes could not have been effected without connivance with brutally beaten and forced back across the prison officials. A special commission has river without the formality of extradition been sent to Siberia to inquire into their papers, was released from the, Paso del causes and to establish an entirely new New York, October 15th.—The Herald's system of prison government. The refugees side. This is his story: "I was born in London cable says: A correspondent says report that Siberian prisons and mines are | San Francisco. My father was a native that Austin Breventon, the Dramatic critic, crowded with exiles. Disease is rampant and was married on Wednesday to Edith Bland, scarvy is especially severe. The mortality, mother was a California Mexican. I was

have furnished the press with an account of liquor at ali. I was tried and sentenced to the recently discovered anarchist plot to burn a month's hard labor on the roads. I made Berlin, October 15th. - Eighty Polish Vienna. Although many details are obvious- my escape and was followed to this side, Brighton presented the speciacle of destruct and resolved to establish a loan and trust surpassed in extent and diabolical in me, clubbed me with a pistol, put their feet bank, with a capital of 3,000,000 marks, to genuity any dynamite plot heretofore con- on my neck and best my head with a rock." The British bark Bellaport has been assist Poles in resisting the efforts of the ceived. Seventeen conspirators have been ar- Brown shows evidence of rough treatment.

unable to pay their rents. On account of the by the tug Gamecock, when the hawser Berlin, October 15th. -Abbe Labouret of from America and London; and was to be bad harvest, the farmers demand a reduction parted and the bark was thrown on the rocky Vianville is being prosecuted in the Metz carried out by Vienuese anarchists who the reduction is refused they will pay nothing. London, October 17th.—Reports have been sung in his church. The German prosecutor plot was eleverly organized. The conspirators A number of landlords offer a reduction of received from all parts of the kingdom asks that the Abbe be imprisoned six months. were divided into several groups, one of another to take charge of the dynamite operations, and another to forge the necessary official documents and to coin money for expenses. Parties were detailed to set fire to

The police got wind of the plot and watch-

Berlin, October 10th -Six Social Demoworking masons who, on Ascension Day, got into a fight with the police, have been verdict was an immense surprise. The charge being conspiracy against the peace of the reports that on Sampler 27th she passed the Spanish flag is regarded as a discour- guilty was found, that the sentences should be a number of years in the State Prison. Fifty witnesses were examined, and the trial lasted two days. The socialists are rejoiced at the

> - The socialist organ, the Deutsche Wortenblatt, edited by Herr Vierlick, has been

suppressed. Herr Franta, editor of the Munich Flemdenblatt, has been sentenced to four months' imprisonment for having published an insulting article against the Ministry on the occasion of the suicide of King Louis of Bavaria. Herry Reuzer editor of the Danube Messenger, has been sent to prison for two months for publishing an offensive article against the Bavarian Ministry. In both cases the criticisms never passed beyond charging the Ministers with

clinging to power at the risk of the country It has been decided to hold the next Turner festival in 1889 at Munich. According to the annual report of the Turnerschaft, 3146 societies and 298,868 members belonged to the organization at the beginning of the year

and 150 branches have since been formed. The Vessiel's Zeitung says that Herr Wachtel, the famous singer, is suffering from enlargement of the heart and dropsy. For several weeks he was nuable to lie down and was obliged to sit in a chair day and night. He has recently undergone an operation, which relieved him, and he is now able to leave his room, although not yet out of

As a result of the recent meeting of German scientists in Berlin an astronomical society has been founded.

Delhi, October 10th .- The situation which has grown out of the religious rioting between the Hindoos and Mohammedans is extremely critical. The Mohammedans last evening attacked a small Hindoo tent. A fight ensued in which the Mohammer dans triumphed. The victors besmeared the temple with blood, smashed the idols and destroyed the building. Twenty Hindoos were so badly wounded that they had to be removed to hospitals, where they lie in a critical condition. The Bengal Governmet has declined to interfere with native religious customs by initiating reforms look ing toward the abolishing of infant marringes and enforced widowhood.

Panama, October 10th.—A horrible tragedy has occurred at Chinquinquira, in the State of Cundinamerca where a child 13 years of age murdered three children by stabbing them with a rusty table knife, and subsequently beating their brains out with a stone. The child murderer is very small for her age, and it is believed that she committed this horrible deed whilst suffering from an attack of brain fever, produced by having been bitten some weeks previously by

a mad dog, New York, October 10th.—The London and Paris correspondents of the Herald have had interviews on the subject of earthquakes with leading scientists, such as Admiral Mouchez, Director of the Paris Observatory; M. Danbree, M. Louis Figuir, Archibald Geibe, Professor Judd and Professor Hind. All agree that at present New York, October 12th.-A cable special earthquakes cannot be predicted, and they from London of October 11th says: The unite in urging the establishment of obser-

Paris, October 12th.—There is a rapid creey, that the police have received full growth of the war feeling in France. The confirmation from Siberia of the reported Boulanger party have begun to issue two escape of Degaieff, alias Jablonski, the new journals, La Revanche and Le Soldat et famous nihillat conspirator, who plauned Laboureur, to advocate an offensive policy. and assisted in the murder of Lieutenant in vindication of the old military prestige Colonel Suedikin, Chief of Police, and of France. General Boulanger, however. they turned and fled. The City Council to the newly elected Sobranje. This accom- one of his staff nearly three years ago. disowns any connection with the papers. The police have traced Degaieff to Geneva M. Layedon, a military critic, writes to the and have vainly tried to wheedle the Figaro that General Boulauger has preand secure his election over the nominee Swiss Government into extraditing him pared a well-conceived plan, in conjunc-The police are getting nervous over the tion with staff officers of high rank, for a frequent escapes from Siberia this year. A continental campaign. The Militaire says few who have ventured to return to St. that General Boulanger desires war, not Petersburg have been recaptured and re- for the purpose of recovering Alsace, not turned, but the majority have made their to gratify personal ambition, but as a step way to Geneva and London, and plotting leading to the solution of social questions. against the Government has been renewed The stricest taboo of everything German is being observed. The Minister of Com-Since June at least twenty Siberian prist merce has ordered the police to prosecute oners have escaped, including two cavalry all persons selling boxes of toys imported officers and several students, some of them from Germany and containing a map of

-El Paso, October 12th.—Thomas Brown, the man who was chased across the Rio Grande by Mexican policemen, shot at, Norte jail and immediately crossed to this American named Charles Brown, and my arrested in Paso del Norte on the charge Vienna, October 10th.—The Vienna police of being drunk, though I never touch that the plot was hatched in and directed case to be forwarded to Washington.